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THE STATE CONVENTION.

The Republican Convention at Williamsport yesterday did its work well. The nomination of the Hon. HENRY W. WILLIAMS is of course peculiarly gratifying to us here, where he is known best; and though there were ten ballotings, and the contestants were all honorable and fit men, there is no question that his nomination—which was on the tenth ballot—will be not only cheerfully acquiesced in, but hailed everywhere as an eminently judicious selection, backed as it is by elevation of character, solid acquirements, freshness of intellect and tried capacity. We think we may say without fear of contradiction, the decisions of no Judge on the Bench have been so uniformly sustained as those made by Judge WILLIAMS, our candidate. They have come to be quoted in and out of the State as good law, and it is doubtful whether it could have been possible to bring forward another name more acceptable to the bar. Judge WILLIAMS is in the prime of life, and as an occupant of the Supreme Bench will elevate, and, so far as depends in him, preserve the character of our Judiciary. His nomination we cannot but regard as not only the forerunner of certain success before the people, but as a good omen in the politics of our State. In placing such a man as Judge WILLIAMS in nomination the Republican party has honored itself; and we are entirely confident that hundreds and thousands there are in the State, who, though not usually voting with us, will esteem it a privilege to contribute to his elevation to the Supreme Bench.

The Masonic Display in Boston

The *Advertiser* of Friday says: The splendid pageant of yesterday, which called Boston from its wharves and shops and counting rooms, and filled the streets with tens of thousands of stalwart men and fair women,—a pageant rarely equalled in the records of the city, and never surpassed in the annals of Masonry in America,—recalled, to the reflective spectator, with vivid power, the most distinctive features of our social and political system—the equality of all men before the law, and the deep-seated respect which all republican citizens entertain for the repositories and representatives of their collective authority. Europe might easily equal and perhaps easily surpass the mere pomp and circumstance of the huge gathering, but no other country could have produced a parallel to its moral and political aspects.

DELAWARE AND MARYLAND PEACH CROP.—A letter from Lincoln, Sussex county, Delaware, says: "The peach yield this season, according to present indications, will be almost without precedent. Peach growers are more concerned lest there should be an excess of production and a glutted market than they are on any other account. The failure of the peach in New Jersey serves to direct attention now more than ever before to Delaware and the Eastern Shore of Maryland as the favorite regions for peach orchards, and the number of trees set out recently can be reckoned only by tens of thousands. In this neighborhood there are two new orchards, each comprising between six thousand and eight thousand trees, and smaller ones of two thousand or four thousand are found wherever the soil is most favorable."

A FARMER in the State of Connecticut has a pair of twin daughters. They both attend the same school, and not long since one of them, who is rather averse to studying, was called up by the teacher to recite a lesson in geography, which she had learned very imperfectly—in fact, she could not go on at all. The teacher was getting out of patience, when he was called to another part of the room for a moment. No sooner was his back turned when the twin sister sprang to the floor, unobserved, and pushed the delinquent pupil to her seat. The teacher returned, and proceeded with his questions, which were answered with a degree of promptness and accuracy which, at the close, drew from him a few words of commendation. The joke, however, was discovered next day, but the teacher thought it too good and successful to give occasion for offense.

THE paper of British Columbia has at last gone to protest. The annual interest on the colonial debt is past due, and there is no money in the colonial exchequer to pay it. Other debts fall due this year. The expenditures of the colony will not fall less than $700,000; the receipts cannot, by any good fortune, exceed $200,000. The outstanding liabilities are now $1,200,000.

The question is whether Great Britain will put her hand in her pocket and pay over the deficiency, with the certainty of having to repeat the process yearly; or whether she will look around for a purchaser willing to take the colony and its obligations off her hands. The San Francisco *Bulletin* thinks that a statesman would not hesitate long between the two courses.

AT a meeting of the Central Trade Union, in New York, on Saturday evening last, symptoms of the speedy decline of the Eight Hour Movement were very apparent. It was proposed to take measures to enforce the eight hour law, but letters from subordinate unions, however, put a damper upon the whole matter. While generally asserting the justice of the law, they did not deem it expedient to endeavor just now to have it enforced. Of strikes most of the associations had had quite enough. Neither their own experience, nor that of workingmen elsewhere, had proved that combinations of this kind were of advantage to the workingmen. Some of the unions had come to the conclusion that reduction of hours means only reduction of wages, which was a result not to be listened to. So on the whole it was considered "not expedient to legislate," and it is probable that the subject will be dropped for the present, with constantly decreasing chances for its future consideration.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

Secretary Stanton has written to Gen. Sickles declining to grant his request to be relieved from the command of the Carolinas. It will be remembered that Gen. Sickles sent his request to the Secretary of War.

A death by cholera is reported to have occurred in Louisville on Tuesday night.

The St. Paul and Pacific Railroad machine shops and car works, at St. Paul, were destroyed by fire Tuesday. Loss $150,000; insured for about $30,000.

A fire in Council Bluffs, Iowa, on Monday night, destroyed an entire block of buildings, including the *Nonpareil* office. The loss is estimated at $200,000. Insurance not stated.

Suits have been commenced in San Francisco in behalf of the State of California against the agents of the Pacific Mail Company to recover two hundred and thirty thousand dollars for violation of the passenger act and refusing to pay commutation tax to the Commissioner of Emigration, as prescribed in the statute; also, against the owners and consignees of the ships Garland, Ellen Southard and Gem of the Ocean, to recover six hundred and seventeen thousand dollars for violation of the same act. The law under which the suits have been brought, provides that owners, masters and consignees of vessels are liable to a commutation tax of five dollars per head for passengers from foreign parts. In case of failure or refusal to comply with the law, they are held liable to a fine of one thousand dollars for each passenger.

Relative to the approaching session of Congress, Speaker Colfax writes from Cincinnati as follows: "Last March I insisted, as you may remember, that the Congress in which the loyal people of the country have such just confidence, should not adjourn till December but should provide for two intervening sessions in June and December, and events not entirely unexpected since have convinced me more than ever of the vital importance of a quorum being present in both Houses at the July session, which was finally agreed on by the concurrent resolution of Congress." Hon. Benjamin F. Loan, of Missouri, writes to General Schenck urging him to do all he can to secure the attendance of enough members to make a quorum, and adds: "Permit the July session to lapse, and the approaching elections in the late rebellious States will be directed by rebel policy, and will result in promoting the cause of the disloyalists."

A Washington special says it has transpired that the second opinion of the Attorney-General, involving the powers of military commanders, was fully considered in the Cabinet meeting before the President left, and action thereupon was as complete and final as upon the opinion regarding registration. It having been discussed and voted on in separate sections, the opinion was put in the form of a summary of points like the first, and all the members voted yea except the Secretary of War, who voted nay, and submitted his reasons in writing. A record was kept of the proceedings, and his reasons in writing entered thereon, at his own request. He asked that the proceedings might be made public, as was done in the case of the first opinion, and a vote was taken on this request, when all voted in the negative except Mr. Stanton himself. It is understood that a circular embodying the last opinion will be issued in a few days, for the information and instruction of the military commanders.

FIRST EDITION.

12 O'CLOCK, M.

THE CAPITAL.

PROGRESS OF SURRATT TRIAL.

Congressmen Arriving Freely.

No Doubt of a Quorum Being Present.

Candidates for Governor of Our Russian Territory.

Favors Pushing the Impeachment Programme.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WASHINGTON, June 26, 1867.

The Surratt Trial.

The evidence presented in the Surratt trial to-day related to the general conspiracy, and did not seem to involve the prisoner by any new evidence. Surratt paid close attention to the details of his mother's arrest, and at times appeared moved by their recital. General Grant's presence on the witness stand attracted the greatest interest, although his testimony related to the simple fact of Jacob Thompson's having been in the rebel service. Surratt manifested no little curiosity to see General Grant, and his counsel shook hands with him as he came from the stand. Grant was attired in plain citizens dress. The prosecution, to the surprise of many, announced that they would close their evidence in two or three days. It may also be added that there was some disappointment at the inability of one witness, Mrs. Benson, late Hudspeth, to recognize Surratt as one of the parties who accidentally dropped a letter in her presence relating to the conspiracy to assassinate.

Congressmen Arriving.

Members of Congress are arriving quite freely even thus early, and no doubt is felt of a quorum in both houses on Wednesday next. A letter from Speaker Colfax is published here, dated Cincinnati, June 21st, urging an attendance of members on the first day of the session.

General Sickles.

The *Star* this evening says that it learns that the President also decided before he went away not to accede to General Sickles' request to be relieved.

Peruvian Admiral Tucker.

The truth of the report of the resignation of Admiral Tucker, of the Peruvian navy, formerly in the rebel naval service, has been confirmed by subsequent advices from Callao.

Our Russian Possessions.

A bill is being prepared for the organization by Congress at its coming session of a territorial government for our recently acquired Russian territory. Two candidates for the position of Territorial Governors have already turned up here.

The Judiciary Committee.

Only four members of the Judiciary Committee, Messrs. Boutwell, Williams, Marshall and Eldridge are at present in the city, consequently there was no quorum at the meeting this morning. The absentees will probably be here to-morrow morning.

Impeachment.

Representative Boutwell is in favor of pushing the impeachment programme, and proposes the adoption of articles at this session, and the trial of the President by an adjourned session in October.

Orders to Military Commanders.

No orders are about to be issued as stated, by direction of the President, to military commanders on their powers to make removals. This question is certainly delayed until his return.

WASHINGTON, June 27.

DEATH.

Dr. William Jones, formerly postmaster, died last evening in the seventy-eighth year of his age.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

M. D. Antes, Portuguese Minister, visits Europe soon on leave of absence.

MEETING DELAYED.

The adjourned meeting of the Judiciary Committee was delayed till to-morrow, when all the members are expected. There were only two here to-day.

DEATH OF MINISTER TO HAYTI.

Hon. H. E. Peck, Minister resident at Hayti, died at Port Au Prince of fever, June 9th.

THE SACRAMENTO WRECKED.

The United States steamer Sacramento was totally wrecked off Coconada, Madras. All hands were saved. She was a screw sloop of war of 1,367 tons, carrying seven heavy guns, commanded by Capt. Collins.

PENSION SURGEON.

Dr. Jonathan E. Fowler, of Canfield, Ohio, has been appointed Examining Surgeon of the Pension office.

HEALTH OF NEW ORLEANS.

Collector Kellogg of New Orleans, telegraphs to-day, that the report of yellow fever prevailing there, is untrue. There has been but one case, two weeks ago, and that doubtful. The city is healthy.

PERSONAL.

Schuyler Colfax will be here July 2d. He closes his lecturing tour at Lancaster, Pa.

THE PRESIDENT'S TOUR.

Reception of the Party at Hartford, Connecticut.

AT SPRINGFIELD.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., June 26.—The President and party arrived at noon, and were met by the staff of Governor English, Senator Dixon, the Mayor, and a Committee of the Common Council of Hartford, and others. Hon. C. M. Ingersoll, Adjutant General of Connecticut, notified the President that the Governor would meet him at Thompsonville.

AT THOMPSONVILLE.

THOMPSONVILLE, CONN., June 26.—The party left the car, and Governor English addressed the President in welcome to Connecticut.

AT HARTFORD.

HARTFORD, CONN., June 26.—A salute was fired on the arrival of the President, who was met at the cars by the Mayor and officers of the city government and a company of the Governor's Horse Guards. The Mayor delivered a speech of welcome.

The President responded and was heartily cheered. He was then escorted to the park, halting at the Allyn House, where Senator Gallup, Chairman of the Committee of Arrangements, invited him to visit the Senate while in session. Mr. Jones, on the part of the House of Representatives, extended a similar welcome. The President accepted the invitation, when the party re-entered the carriages and passed through several streets to the Capitol. Large crowds cheered vociferously.

On entering the Senate Chamber, President Hyde extended its honors to the President, who responded, and was then introduced to the members. Messrs. Seward and Randall also made speeches. A similar scene occurred in the House. The reception in both branches was quite enthusiastic. At its conclusion the President returned to the hotel. He leaves in the morning for New Haven.

FROM HAVANA.

Smuggling--Failures--The Yellow Fever--Negroes Landed.

NEW ORLEANS, June 26.—The steamer Columbia, from Havana on the 22d, has arrived.

Smuggling is still prevalent. Several large failures have occurred.

There were two hundred and ninety-eight cases of yellow fever in the Island in May; fifty-four proved fatal, which is fifty more than in May of last year.

A cargo of negroes was landed at Porte Padre, and another was expected somewhere. Sugars were active and firm.

HIGHLY INTERESTING.

NEW YORK, June 26, 1867.

THE FORREST CASE.

In the Supreme Court a decision was given compelling Edwin Forrest to pay alimony from the time the suit was instituted, many years ago.

COUNTERFEITERS.

In the trial of Brockway, the counterfeiter, to-day, evidence was given that he was formerly a detective in the United States secret service.

TOBACCO FACTORIES SEIZED.

Two more tobacco factories were seized to-day.

FAILURES.

There are rumors of four failures in Liverpool.

MORE FRAUD IN NEW ORLEANS.

A special New Orleans dispatch to the *Tribune* says there has been an over issue of city notes to an amount exceeding a million and a half of dollars. Mayor Heath has demanded of the City Council the removal of the City Treasurer and Controller, who, he says, are responsible. All the papers sustain the over issue, and say it has been sanctioned by the Common Council. There have been three deaths from yellow fever, but none by cholera reported.

EUROPE.

BY CABLE AND MAILS.

Victor Hugo Appeals for Maximilian's Life.

Anniversary of St. Peter's Martyrdom.

Gathering of Prelates in Rome.

Bitter Feeling in Italy Against Catholic Clergy.

The Cholera Broken Out in Rome.

Appeal from Victor Hugo.

PARIS, June 25.—Victor Hugo has addressed a powerful appeal to President Juarez, of Mexico, invoking him to spare the life of Maximilian, asserting that the most suitable punishment of the foreign potentate will be that of living by the mercy of the Republic.

St. Peter's Martyrdom.

ROME, June 26.—There are already assembled in this city four hundred Catholic prelates, Arch Bishops and Bishops, and some thousands of priests, who have journeyed from their Sees at the call of the Holy Father, to be present at the celebration of the 1800th anniversary of St. Peter's martyrdom. Crowds are coming from all parts of the world. The Bishops from the United States, who have already arrived, are lodged in different convents within the city. Great preparations are making for the festival of Saturday, and the service and ceremonies of Sunday. St. Peter's church will be illuminated the evening of that day.

Feeling in Italy Against the Clergy.

FLORENCE, June 25.—The feeling prevailing just now in Italy against the Catholic clergy is very bitter. On Monday, the festival of St. John, patron Saint of Florence, the people refused to join ecclesiasticals in its observance, for the reason that the priests refused to celebrate the national festival of free Italy two weeks ago.

The Cuba Cable Coming.

LONDON, June 26.—The steamer Nora, with the cable to connect Cuba with the United States, sailed to-day for Havana. She is expected to reach there in twenty-one days. The United States frigate Colorado is at Gibraltar.

Cholera.

ROME, June 25.—The cholera has broken out in this city, and reports state the epidemic has made its appearance in Sicily.

Candian Commission.

LONDON, June 26.—The English Government has joined the other European powers in the note urging upon the Sultan an investigation of the affairs of Candia by a European Commission.

Exiles Again Exiled.

A dispatch from the Hague states that the Dutch Government has notified the Hanoverian exiles they must leave the territory of Holland.

Chancellor of North German Federation.

BERLIN, Evening, June 26.—Count Von Bismarck has been appointed Chancellor of the North German Federation.

Zolverein.

The conference of Zolverein has commenced its session in this city.

Shipping Intelligence.

SOUTHAMPTON, June 26.—The steamer Allemania, from New York, has arrived.

BREST, June 26.—The steamer St. Laurent, from New York, has arrived.

QUEENSTOWN, June 26.—The steamer Minnesota, from New York, has arrived.

London Money Market.

LONDON, June 26, Noon.—Consols 94; Erie 40½; United States bonds 73; Illinois 80½.

2 P. M.—Money market firmer. Consols 94½; United States bonds 72½; Erie 40½; Illinois 80½; Atlantic and Great Western 25½.

LONDON, Evening, June 26.—Consols closed at 94½. 5-20's, 73; Illinois Central, 79½; Erie, 40½.

LONDON, Evening, June 26.—Atlantic & Great Western consolidated shares declined to 25½.

Liverpool Markets.

LIVERPOOL, June 26, Noon.—Cotton dull, 11d for uplands.

Breadstuffs firm. Corn 38s 9d for new mixed western. Barley 4s 10d.

Provisions quiet and steady. Cheese declined 1s 6d for fine American.

LIVERPOOL, Evening, June 26.—Cotton dull; sales 10,000 bales; middling uplands 11d; Orleans 11¼d, a decline of ⅛d on the latter.

Breadstuffs generally unchanged. Corn—new mixed western declined 3d ⅌ quarter, and closes at 38s 6d. Wheat unchanged; California white 13s 6d. Barley 4s 6d. Oats 3s 8d ⅌ bushel, an advance of 2d. Peas—Canadian 38s. Flour—Southern 30s ⅌ bbl.

Provision market generally unaltered. Pork 74s for eastern prime mess. Beef steady at 135s ⅌ bbls for extra prime mess. Lard 49s. Bacon 42s for Cumberland. Cheese dull and declined 1s, closing quiet at 62s for fine American. Ashes quiet at 31s. Petroleum spirits 8d; refined is 2d. Tallow 43s 3d.

London Markets.

LONDON, June 26, Evening.—Sugar steady. Iron—Scotch pig 53s. Linseed oil £41 10s ⅌ ton. Oils—whale £35. Sperm £130.

Frankfort Money Market.

FRANKFORT, Evening, June 26.—United States bonds, 77½.

BY MAILS.

Review of Troops--Address from the Reform League--Prussia and Denmark--Famine in Bombay.

NEW YORK, June 26.—The new Cunarder Russia arrived to-day from Liverpool on the 15th and Queenstown on the 16th.

Queen Victoria holds a grand review of troops in Hyde Park on the 5th and 6th.

The Council of the English Reform League has issued an address to the people of Europe, denouncing wars and the maintenance of large armies.

The Danish Government has declined the proposals made by Prussia that it should guarantee the national rights of German inhabitants of North Schleswig.

A motion censuring the Government for the arrest of some deputies last December was rejected by an immense majority in the Spanish Congress.

The annual report of the cotton department states that 939,797 bales were exported from Bombay Presidency last year. Burmah is said to be still the theater of famine, and the king is buying up grain for his troops.

SURRATT'S TRIAL.

FIFTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

General Grant on the Stand.

WASHINGTON, June 26.—Joseph G. Gifford and G. W. Bunker gave some unimportant evidence.

Col. Henry W. Smith testified to his arresting Mrs. Surratt and Payne at Mrs. Surratt's house.

Gen. U. S. Grant testified to an interview with Jacob Thompson, at Milliken's Bend in 1863; witness was asked what Thompson said.

Defense objected, and considerable argument ensued. The design of the prosecution was to prove that Thompson was connected with the prisoner in the distribution of money.

Judge Fisher—If such connection is made, the evidence will be relevant, otherwise not.

The testimony was admitted, but it only appeared that Thompson said he was an acting staff officer of one of the Generals in Vicksburg, an acting inspector general of the Confederate army; did not understand that he held a commission, but was an acting officer; no cross-examination.

Charles Dawson, clerk at the National Hotel in 1865, testified to finding among some of Booth's baggage left there April 14, a card marked J. Harrison Surratt; the card was produced, but not offered in evidence; a letter signed Leon, in reference to an oil speculation, to Booth, was found in the hotel, and which was given as evidence in the conspiracy trial, was offered in evidence, defense taking an exception.

After the recess Colonel R. C. Morgan was called and testified to the arrest of Mrs. Surratt and Payne on the night of April 17th; he was one of the party with Colonel Smith, but the testimony of the two varied, especially so far as related to Payne; Smith said he met Payne at the door, and Morgan said he met him there.

Mrs. Benson, formerly Mrs. Hudspeth, testified relative to letters found in a street car in New York; Mrs. Hudspeth said she came here from Canada under agreement that her expenses would be paid, and she would receive a per diem of $20 while here; this agreement was made with Mr. Thurston, United States Consul at Toronto.

Adjourned until to-morrow.

FROM MEMPHIS.

Crop Prospects---Horse Thief Hung.

MEMPHIS, June 26.—Crop reports from the interior are generally favorable. Fully two-thirds of the land in cultivation is planted in corn and small grains. The latter have been gathered with a fair yield. In Eastern Arkansas, along the Red river, the crops were entirely ruined by the overflow.

A man named Jeremiah Hale was found hung to a tree near Raleigh, yesterday morning. A paper was found stating it had been done by the outraged people for horse stealing.

Preparations to Receive the President in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, June 26.—A meeting of merchants, bankers, and other citizens, is called for to-morrow, to make arrangements for a suitable reception of the President, on his return from the East.

OUR NEW POSSESSIONS.

News Direct.

What the Country Is and People Are

A New York correspondent of the Philadelphia *Inquirer* writes as follows:

I have had intelligence from Russian America through Colonel de Rostoff, of the Infantry of the Russian Empire, a distinguished officer, who has served twelve years in the military district of the Caucasus, suffered wounds at Sebastopol, and who has been accredited with a command in China and an embassy to Affghanistan. He arrived in New York last April, and has had letters from Siberia by way of the Amoor country and the new steamship line from Japan to San Francisco and New York. His advices are from Sitka, March 28, and are from a military comrade of former times, who has served out an appointment with the Russian American Fur Company. Concurrent testimony to several friends make the same general statement.

They represent that on the receipt of the news of probable annexation to the United States, the towns of St. Paul and New Archangel (*Sitka*) were, for a day or two, merely mute with astonishment; that, on the third day, a Kamschatkan sailing vessel brought more confirmatory intelligence, and that the Deputy Administrator-General gave credence to these by haranguing the few inhabitants left in Sitka upon the beneficence of the United States Government, its riches and valor; and concluded by assuring them that the United States was only a dependency of Russia.

Conclusive evidence having failed to arrive, the Government dispatches being merely advisory of a probable sale of the territory, the temporary "overseer" of the capital-province threatened a delegation of Creoles, Liberians and Aleutian fishermen that waited upon him with the usual punishment if they showed any feeling of premature satisfaction at their deliverance from the despotism of the Fur Company.

The few people resident at Sitka at that season of the year—when the Fur Company's vessels have nearly all departed to trade and purchase skins and walrus teeth—showed a timid enthusiasm that the corporation which has so long ruled them with an iron hand is about to quit the country. Since 1862 it had been known that Russia and the United States were chaffering for the exchange of this territory, but the American whalers on the Russian coast had seemed to discredit the idea, as well as the San Francisco fishers and ice cutters.

There were no more than two hundred people living in New Archangel at that time. Fears were entertained that if the news were made known to the Koloschian tribes, who dwell upon the southern shelf of land nearest the United States, their hereditary antipathy to the Russians would result in outbreak and similar atrocities to those that mark the storming of Sitka, sixty years ago by these same savages.

This is the extent of the news that my authorities possess, but they give more positive information upon the present condition of our new Arctic purchase than I have yet seen.

Sitka is built upon a ledge of rocks upon a bay as smooth as the Delaware, that is never frozen over and gives harborage for large vessels, though to this time few have anchored there of a greater tonnage than 400. The administrator's residence is built of seasoned logs, curiously inlaid, and gabled after the Russian manner. It is a hundred feet square, surmounted with a light house, and flanked with a stockade and block houses, mounting ship guns. The population, when the fur season is over, is close to twelve hundred souls.

There is fog around the place three hundred days in the year; but the streams seldom freeze more than three weeks in all the winter. One Greek temple, elaborately built, the adornments of which were sent from European Russia; one Protestant mission church and one school, with a public library attached, were the features of the capital, and there were strong storehouses and a barrack three. Three-fourths of the people were Creoles, or half-breeds between Russian and Indian, and though the official society was very good, there was no law, strictly speaking, but the arbitary decrees of the Fur Company. The market was scanty in other meat than roebuck and the *musimon* or wild mutton. Peas, cauliflowers, potatoes, beets, cabbage, celery, parsnips, onions, strawberries, blackberries, whortleberries and cranberries were common.

Salmon could be bought at three silver roubles the hundred pounds (about $2 25), and cod, herring and halibut were plentiful. There were many Siberians in St. Paul, which is on the Island of Kodiah, descendants of exiles that shipped before the mast and took refuge there. Gambling was the general vice, but the Indians were in continual fear of the Russians; the former are attached to the country, it giving them subsistence for very little labor, and they have developed only the superficial energies of the province, whose real claims are worthy the consideration of enterprise. The wood is dense, but soggy there, and will not burn but after two seasons housing. Wheat and rye scarcely exist.

The Fur Company have cleared off the territory half a million roubles annually, but owing to the universal corruption in Russia only a fourth of this is distributed among the stockholders. There is coal in profusion, copper in vast deposits, and native sulphur without limit. The Esquimaux and Aleutians are clever at carving, and the latter are the best oarsmen, and build the handsomest seal-skin boats in the world, some of them as light as silk. Fifty thousand pounds of walrus ivory have been exported in one year. The crows in the streets of Sitka are exceedingly daring and numerous, and the hogs eat only fish, so that their meat has the taste of cod. The small-pox kills about one-third the people annually. Near by there are millions of canvas-back ducks, whose eggs are laid and hatched only in this region. They are very savory and popular.

It is a thousand miles less between San Francisco and Japan by the Aleutian Islands than by Honolulu, and the former are natural coaling stations. The English trappers are in continual wrangle here with the Russians, and trouble is anticipated with them when they hear that the Yankees are in possession.

MEXICO.

Corona Marching Against Lorado.

No Satisfactory Solution of Mexican Question.

The Country More Unsettled Than Ever.

Liberals Demand Sweeping Confiscation

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—The *Bulletin's* Colima letter of June 14 says: Corona, with a large number of troops, marched against Generals Lorado, Placido and Vegao, who are raising an army at Tepic, though nobody knows their actual intention. We are still far from a satisfactory solution of the Mexican question. The Republicans who suffered in the late war are asking more than the Government can grant. They want not only honor and distinction for themselves, but the banishment of the Imperials, and confiscation of property for the general benefit. Everywhere the meanest kind of denunciations prevail. The press in general has commenced the abuse of the foreign powers having recognized Maximilian, and also all foreigners residing in the country. Various manufacturing establishments about being started are abandoned for the present. Nobody dares to enter any business were ready cash must be displayed. Governor Vega has no sinecure in satisfying the demand of the Liberals and protecting the persecuted.

FROM SAN FRANCISCO.

Ratification Meeting---Crop Prospects.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—One of the largest meetings ever held in San Francisco assembled last night to ratify Union nominations for State officers.

Accounts concerning the wheat crop continue favorable. The work of harvesting is progressing in many portions of the State under flattering circumstances. Invoices of the new crop are expected freely in a week or ten days. The nominal price of new wheat is $1 60. Several vessels are already chartered to load grain for European and Asiatic ports.

FROM ERIE.

Brakeman Killed---Boy Drowned---Accident.

ERIE, PA., June 26.—The freight train on the Erie and Pittsburgh Railroad ran off at Pulaski this morning, killing a brakeman.

A little boy, son of Henry Jordan, was drowned at the public dock this afternoon.

S. L. Fleming, of the Miller Farm, jumped this afternoon from the New York express train at Philadelphia crossing near Erie, and broke his leg.

From Charleston.

CHARLESTON, June 26.—The jury in the case of Boag and others, tried for the murder of Roe in the recent duel, rendered a verdict of not guilty and the prisoners were discharged.

Judge Moses issued orders for the next jury panel being constituted in conformity with Order No. 32 of General Sickles, declaring the right of all citizens without distinction of color to serve on juries.

Explosion of a Fire Works Manufactory.

BALTIMORE, June 26.—The fire works manufactory of Joseph L. Bond exploded this morning. The entire building was demolished. The proprietor was seriously injured, and his life despaired of. A workman named Humphrey was seriously hurt, but will recover.

SHOCKING BARBARITY.

Outrageous Military Rigor.

Men Flayed Alive.

A correspondent of the St. Louis *Democrat* writing from Fort Sedgwick, C. T., June 16, gives the following shocking account of outrages perpetrated by military officers there:

On or about the 12th instant, within the limits of the military reservation of Fort Sedgwick, and within one mile of said fort, a soldier received twenty-five lashes for stealing a gun, the property of one Mart Code, a trader living at Julesburg. In the same week, a soldier of the 30th infantry, by orders, was laid out on the ground under a hot broiling sun, and a stake fastened to each limb, to which he was firmly bound, thus laying him out according to a mode well known to military officers, and which is entitled "spread-eagle fashion." He was left in that position for two hours; in the meantime the buffalo gnats covered his face by thousands, causing intense suffering to the unfortunate fellow. For two hours he screamed, cried, begged, entreated, "for the love of God" to be let loose. "For two hours he roared; I couldn't stand it any longer. I tell you, sir, his face was perfectly bunged up." Such were the words of his lieutenant, concerning the keen torture the soldier underwent, to a group of officers, who, more civilized than himself, expressed deep commiseration for his sufferings.

While visiting headquarters on the morning of the 15th we heard that a white citizen was to receive one hundred lashes some time during the day, for giving a bottle of whisky to soldiers. You may imagine how shocked we were on learning of such an almost unheard of thing. There was neither trial nor court martial, merely a summary dismissal after this manner of a Turkish Cadi or a Pasha. "Let him have one hundred lashes." Those were the ominous words, and which grate so harshly on an American ear. What a fuss is kicked up all through the country because a child is flogged by its teacher or parent; but here in this country is an intelligent man, in the prime of life, of stalwart frame, but, at the time we are speaking of, sick of a disease which, like a cancer, had eaten up his very features, stripped and flogged before two hundred soldiers. But to the recital:

Some five days ago, according to reliable authority, a stranger giving his name as Hendricks, made his appearance at Pole Creek, in the vicinity of Wilson's ranche. He was incapacitated by disease from performing manual labor. He loitered around the ranche until the night of the 14th, when he was accosted by two men dressed in citizen's garb, who politely requested him to buy them some whisky, at the same time furnishing him with the requisite funds. He willingly acceded to the request, and in a few moments delivered to them a bottle of whisky. In about an hour afterwards he was arrested and brought into the guard-house of the 10th infantry. At nine A. M. of the 15th his case was reported to Colonel R. J. Dodge of the 30th, by Lieutenant Lentz, of Co. F, 30th infantry. About twelve o'clock the wretched culprit was brought forth escorted by two soldiers. Complete peparations had already been made for the punishment. A scantling, with a board nailed transversely, was planted firmly in the ground. About two hundred soldiers and a small squad of citizens had gathered to witness the unusual proceedings. Two soldiers with plaited thongs in their hands stood on the right and left of the cross. On the soldiers with their instruments of torture and the unfortunate fellow gazed in dismay. Lieutenant Lantz informed the sergeant that he did not order his punishment, but that he "would like to see him flogged." On hearing this, the orderly sergeant of company F, assisted by the two soldiers, divested him of every article of clothing, with the exception of a thin shirt. They then bound him to the cross, with his arms stretched to the utmost. When all was ready the sergeant gave the signal to proceed. The men detailed to strike raised their arms aloft, and swinging the ropes over their shoulders, the one on the right brought the whistling, hissing lash full on the naked hips of the man, who sprang convulsively upward as if shot. A broad, lengthy, reddish wale, slightly tinged with blood, marked the spot. This blow was succeeded by one delivered from the soldier on the left, and was followed by another upheaving of the victim's body. Now the blows fell thick and fast, like the redoubling strokes of a smith's trip-hammer. The man sprang from side to side, writhed in very anguish, upward again as if pierced by red hot irons, hung down as if lifeless, only to be roused into fiercer action by an application of the lash to parts untouched.

The cords, muscles and veins of the body swelled as if bursting; his screams, cries, groans and piercing shrieks, which rent the air, found faithful echoes in the sympathizing hearts of the unwilling spectators, and curdled the very blood with horror. Before sixteen strokes had been administered blood was welling in reddish streams down his naked legs and filling his shoes. Blood was splashed over some of the spectators. After the fiftieth stroke the body assumed a blackish color, and the skin hung in strips and flakes. Men stopped their ears and turned away from the horrid sight. A respectable citizen named F.L. Seward who witnessed the whole affair, turned to Lieut. Lantz and said, "For God's sake, stop that; you will kill him." Lantz, supposing the bleeding wretch had received enough, motioned the executioners to desist. On closer examination we found his body lacerated in the most horrible manner. The upper portion of his hips was perfectly raw; his back was livid. After the flogging had ceased he was ordered by Lantz from the reservation. He managed with some difficulty to put on his nether garments, gasping, sighing and groaning deeply. After being dressed he turned to the lieutenant and said: "I did not sell the whisky to soldiers, nor did I know they were soldiers, as they told me they were citizens." Having uttered this, he turned from the camp, dragging his mangled limbs painfully along toward the sand bluffs. We have heard since he hailed from the State of New York, and had received a fine education. Some soldiers state they counted one hundred and eight strokes, but the sergeant states eighty-two as the number delivered.

As an extenuating circumstance worthy to be considered, Lantz said that selling or giving whisky is contrary to military law, and a frequent repetition of the offense always culminates in mutiny.

Lieut. Lantz has only lately been appointed, through the influence of Senator Cameron, of Pennsylvania. He donned his new uniform and commenced his new duties as a second lieutenant fifteen days ago.

BEAVER ACADEMY.

Annual Examinations---Exercises of the Kalamathean Society.

Special Correspondence of Pittsburgh Commercial.

BEAVER, June 26, 1867.

Some of the numerous readers of the COMMERCIAL may wonder what has taken your correspondent to this quaint and most beautifully located county seat in all the country round. Well, it is no less an event than the annual examination and closing exercises of the Literary Institute, established in this spot favored by nature, and set apart by commerce and society, for the administering of justice and educational purposes. However it may be in the cities, this commencement week is the week of the year in these small country towns, that are so fortunate as to have such institutions in their midst.

The Beaver Academy, whose examination we have been attending to-day, is one of the few that have still an existence, of all the number so generously and wisely established by the State nearly or quite a half century since. It is managed by an able and efficient Board of Trustees, who are devising liberal things for it, and are determined it shall live and prosper. We were pleased to learn that the year just closing has been one of the most prosperous in its history in later years, and certainly judging from the manner in which the young gentlemen acquitted themselves there is no institutions that offer better advantages for an English education or preparatory course.

Classes were now examined in arrithmetic, mental and practical, higher geography, grammar, algebra, Latin reader, Cæsar, Virgil, Anabasis and Greek grammar. In Virgil and Anabasis, Mr. Arthurs, of Brookville, and Mr. Happer, of Washington county, acquitted themselves with great credit. In Cæsar, Mr. McDonald, of Stone's Point, and in Latin reader and grammar, Mr. Briggs, of Industry, were quite at home. In algebra, Messrs. Briggs and Anderson, of Beaver, and McConnell, of Bridgewater, excelled. In analysis, Mr. Moorhead, of Bridgewater, exhibited fine proficiency. The declamations were such as may be witnessed only where the important science of elocution is attended to. These pupils have evidently had the very best instruction from their teachers, Professors Taylor and Houghton.

We noticed among the visitors Revs. Dempsey, Smith and Lowry, and Drs. McKinney and Murray, and H. Hice, Esq., and J. F. Dravo, of this vicinity, and Rev. Mills, of Brownsville.

We are this evening to witness the exercises of the "Kalamatheans"—a society connected with the Beaver Female Seminary—consisting of essays, recitations, papers and music.

The exercises were generally well chosen and finely executed, giving great satisfaction to the large and appreciative audience gathered on the occasion. The recitation of "Barbara Frietchie," by Miss Kingsley, of Cleveland, O.; that of the "Sacrifice of Abraham," by Miss Oliver, of Washington, Pa., and of "Maud Muller," by Miss Walker, of Washington, D.C., are deserving of high commendation.

The "First Part of the Evening Star," prepared and read by Miss Boyle, of Indiana, showed much wit, was well read and was highly appreciated by the audience. The recitation of the "Bells," by ten young ladies in concert, was very well done, and exhibited the fine training which these ladies have received from Prof. Houghton, who has, as we learn, aided the ladies in preparing their exercises. The music, which was entirely by the ladies of the Society, aided by Professor Houghton, who has a fine tenor voice, was chaste and of a superior character. Among the performers on the piano, we ought to notice as excelling Miss Clarke, of New Castle, and Miss Choate, of Washington, D. C. To-morrow we expect to attend the examinations at the Seminary, and in the evening to listen to the address of Rev. Gorham, of Philadelphia. You may hear from me again. QUIS.

SECOND EDITION.

4 O'CLOCK, A. M.

WILLIAMSPORT.

PENNSYLVANIA REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Hon. H. W. Williams, of Pittsburgh, Nominated for Supreme Judge.

Tenor of the Resolutions.

Col. Frank Jordan Continued as Chairman of State Central Committee.

Senator Bigham Addresses the Convention.

He Charges Judge Sharswood with Favoring Repudiation of the National Debt.

Special Dispatch to the Pittsburgh Commercial.

WILLIAMSPORT, PA., June 26, 1867.

The Republican State Convention met here this noon. The Convention was called to order by Colonel Jordan, in accordance with the call.

General Jas. L. Selfridge, of Lehigh county, was elected temporary Chairman, who made a brief speech, during which he referred to New Orleans affairs. There was great applause upon mentioning the name of Sheridan.

Hon. James L. Graham, of Allegheny, moved that the Chairman select a committee of one from each Senatorial District, to report a permanent organization.

Wm. B. Mann, Esq., of Philadelphia, favored the election of a Chairman by a *viva voce* vote. His amendment was lost by a vote of 83 for to 64 against.

Mr. Graham's motion was adopted; and the committee selected.

Hon. Jno. Scott, of Huntingdon, was chosen permanent chairman, who addressed the convention, saying it was the duty of the convention to nominate a man who recognized in the true light those issues that recent events had thrown upon us.

The following names were presented as candidates for Judge of the Supreme Court: Williams, of Allegheny; Perry, of Schuylkill; Butler, of Chester; Franklin, of Lancaster; Gordon, of Jefferson; Linn, of Center; Taylor, of Huntingdon; Williams, of Tioga; Comley, of Montour; Thayer, of Philadelphia, and Pearson, of Dauphin.

The following is the result of the first ballot: Williams, of Allegheny, 26; Perry, 4; Thayer, 27; Butler, 14; Franklin, 8; Linn, 7; Taylor, 7; Pearson, 13; Williams, 4; Comley, 9.

SECOND BALLOT—Williams, 31; Thayer, 27; Butler, 15; Pearson, 15; Linn, 7; scattering, 29.

THIRD BALLOT—Williams, 31; Thayer, 27; Linn, 8; Pearson, 19.

FOURTH BALLOT—Williams, 37; Thayer, 30; Pearson, 24; Linn, 13.

FIFTH BALLOT—Williams, 37; Thayer, 28; Pearson, 24; Linn, 12.

SIXTH BALLOT—Williams, 41; Thayer, 36; Pearson, 29; Linn, 25.

SEVENTH BALLOT—Williams, 46; Thayer, 35; Pearson, 23; Linn, 22.

EIGHTH BALLOT—Williams, 47; Thayer, 38; Pearson, 19; Linn, 25.

NINTH BALLOT—Williams, 65; Tayer, 40; Linn, 22.

Hon. Henry W. Williams, having received a majority of the votes cast, was declared the nominee for Supreme Judge.

On motion, the nomination was made unanimous.

There was considerable excitement during the balloting, the names of the different candidates being withdrawn as the ballot indicates. There were several attempts made to take a recess between each of the ballots, which was firmly and successfully resisted by the friends of Judge Williams. Mr. Kirkpatrick made a speech against any adjournment, and in eulogy of the candidate presented by Allegheny county. An adjournment after any of the ballots would have jeopardized Mr. Williams' chance for success, as it was thought, in legislative parlance, they might set up against him.

Great credit is due to the entire delegation for their efforts on behalf of the nominee.

After the nomination the Convention adjourned.

Upon re-assembling, Mr. McPherson, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, submitted a report, which was adopted.

The resolutions demand such guarantees from the South as will make treason forever impossible; denounce the administration of Andrew Johnson as faithless; indorse the reconstruction measures of Congress, and call on Congress promptly to dispose of the new nullification doctrines of the pliant Attorney General.

There was considerable discussion upon the proposition to select Colonel Jordan as Chairman of the State Central Committee, lasting over two hours, which was participated in by Messrs. Kirkpatrick and Brown, of Allegheny, McVeigh, of Chester, and by Messrs. Kunkel, of Dauphin, in favor, and Mann and others against.

Mr. Dickey, of Lancaster, argued that it was not proper for the Secretary of the Commonwealth to take the position, and he did not believe he would. He moved to amend by allowing the Chairman of the Convention to appoint.

Mr. Cessna, of Bedford, offered a substitute to both propositions, that if Col. Jordan was unable or unwilling to take the position, the chairman of the convention appoint. This was carried unanimously.

Previous to adjournment, Mr. Newlin, of Philadelphia, offered a resolution in favor of universal suffrage. The Chairman of the Convention referred it to the Committee on Resolutions.

Mr. McPherson, of Adams, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, said it would be attached to the platform next year.

After appointing the members of the State Central Committee, passing a resolution of sympathy to the family of the late A. W. Benedict, and thanks to officers of the convention, the convention adjourned.

Senator Bigham addressed the Convention, in which he attacked Judges Black and Sharswood. The latter he charged with being in favor of repudiating the national indebtedness.

FROM CINCINNATI.

Large and Enthusiastic Fenian Meeting.

CINCINNATI, June 26.—A very large and enthusiastic Fenian meeting was held here tonight. Addresses were made by James Gibbons, of Philadelphia, Vice President of the Brotherhood, and Major McWilliams. About twenty-five young men signed the military roll, and $2,000 were subscribed for the purchase of uniforms, &c. After the meeting adjourned Senator J. W. Fitzgerald called a secret meeting of the Brotherhood, to take action in regard to President Robert's tour to Paris.

FROM MONTREAL.

Ship North American Ashore---No Lives Lost.

MONTREAL, June 26.—The following was received by mail and telegraph:

GREAT BASIN, June 20.—The North American went ashore at eleven o'clock Sunday night, 16th inst., one and a half miles off the south point of the island of Ante Costi. No lives were lost. The passengers and crew are all well. They are throwing the cargo overboard. The ship is perfectly tight. The mails, specie and baggage were all landed. They expect to get the ship off to-night if the weather keeps moderate.

From Richmond.

RICHMOND, June 26.—In the case of Mark Downey, charged with perjury in having registered though disfranchised by the Alexandria State Constitution, District Attorney Chandler, who has just returned from Washington, asked a postponement until July 25, as he felt justified in saying Congress would reverse Stanberry's opinion, and thereby settle the matter. The Commissioner held the case under advisement. In the case of Thos. B. White, for same offense, he was discharged.

Kansas Pacific Railway.

ST. LOUIS, June 26.—The recent injuries by flood to the Kansas Pacific Railway have been repaired, and trains are now running regularly to Salina. Construction trains are running to Fort Harker. No Indian troubles in Kansas have been reported since Saturday last.

FROM ALBANY.

Proceedings of Workingmen's Assembly.

ALBANY, June 26.—The Workingmen's Assembly resolved to call upon the National Labor Union to organize a National Workingmen's party, and on Congress to take up the eight hour law, and also to use its influence to vote down the Constitution, provided the Constitutional Convention refuse to legislate for the benefit of the workingmen.

From Ottawa, C. W.

OTTAWA, June 26.—A Judge from Toronto has been summoned here to inaugurate the Governor-General.

From Savannah.

SAVANNAH, June 26.—Registration commenced to-day. Fifty-three whites and one hundred and fifty-one colored registered.

THE ALEXANDER CAMPBELL WILL CASE.—A suit has been brought by Joseph H. Pendleton and others, for the purpose of breaking the will of the late Alexander Campbell, of Bethany, by which some $200,000 worth of property was devised. The case will be taken up to-day, the Brooke Circuit Court being now in session. Able counsel have been employed on both sides and the trial promises to be one of more than ordinary interest. Gen. Garfield, of Ohio, Judge Black, of Pennsylvania, and Nathaniel Richardson, Esq., of Wheeling, have been employed to defend the will, while Hon. Benjamin Stanton, Daniel Lamb and James S. Wheat, Esqs., of Wheeling and Dr. G. W. Caldwell, of Wellsburg, have been retained on the other side. No less than fifty witnesses are to be examined orally in addition to a great deal of testimony already taken by affidavit.

CITY MATTERS.

Diseases of the Eye.

There is no more distressing affliction than any form of disease of the eye, and he who can successfully treat such diseases is a great benefactor. The large number of *bona fide* certificates already published in these columns attest the skill of Dr. E. S. Aborn the distinguished oculist and aurist, in the treatment of this speciality. An extensive experience in the treatment of diseases of the eye in the tropical climates, where such diseases greatly prevail, enables the Doctor to immediately detect the nature of the disease and speedily to effect a cure. In a number of difficult cases in this vicinity, Dr. A. has performed marvellous cures, and the afflicted relieved by him are unbounded in their terms of praise of his skill. Many of the afflicted who receive temporary relief by the payment of small fees for all kinds of nostrums, pay dearly for their periods of relief in the end, and it is greatly to their physical and pecuniary comfort to consult an eminent surgeon like Dr. Aborn has proved himself to be. His rooms are at No. 134 Smithfield street.

Female College--Closing Exercises.

The closing exercises of the Pittsburgh Female College will take place this evening in Christ M. E. Church, when the section of the graduating class will read their essays. The first section read a most interesting series of essays last evening, which were listened to with great appreciation by a large audience. The readings this evening, as on last evening, will be interspersed with choice music. After the readings Rev. Hiram Miller will deliver the address to the graduating class, which will be followed by conferring of the degrees and delivery of diplomas. The exercises will conclude with the announcement of the awards of prizes, two of which yet remain under seal—those for superiority in Latin and mathematics. As these exercises are public, there will certainly be another large attendance this evening.

THE GRAND CELEBRATION ON THE FOURTH.—The grand national festival at the Union Skating Park, Allegheny, on the Fourth promises to exceed the most sanguine expectations of its projectors. Mr. Thurston, the distinguished æronaut, arrived yesterday, and will make an ascension during the festival. The fireworks, which embrace a large collection of the most beautiful patriotic pieces, have also been received, and such a brilliant display will be made Thursday evening next at the Park as has never before been witnessed in this vicinity. Those who have witnessed the patriotic pyrotechnic displays of Boston, New York and Philadelphia will have some idea of the brilliancy of the display promised next Thursday evening, when it is stated that it will be equal to any usually given in those cities. The sale of tickets to the festival is now progressing at the office, 74 Fifth street.

SOLDIERS' LEAGUE MEETING.—A regular meeting of the Allegheny County Soldiers' League was held on Tuesday evening, at their hall in Allegheny, President A. P. Callow presiding. A number of applications for membership were made and formally acted on, and several new members were initiated. The Committee on Charter reported that the Court had granted the application for a new charter for the League. The report was accepted and the committee discharged. After transacting some miscellaneous business, the League adjourned.

FAST TIME FOR A YOUNG NAG.—An interesting and somewhat exciting trot against time took place yesterday afternoon at the Eastern Exchange Driving Park, by the young bay mare "Lady Ellen," owned by Mr. Paul Hugus. "Lady Ellen," who is only five years old, made her mile under saddle, John Cridland occupying the "pigskin," in the excellent time of 2:35. This performance was quite unexpected, and the value of the mare rose rapidly. Cridland says she will prove a second Dexter for speed.

HORSE THIEVES ABOUT.—Two horses were stolen on Tuesday night from the premises of Henry Hines, at Sharpsburg. The animals were traced to Freeport, but have not yet been recovered. Three men, however, have been arrested on suspicion of being the thieves, and were placed in the Butler county jail. Two other horses were also stolen on the same night, from the premises of a farmer on Deer Creek. The animals were subsequently recovered, but no trace of the thieves was discovered.

ALLEGHENY COUNCILS.—A stated meeting of the Allegheny Councils will be held this evening.

POLICE INTELLIGENCE.

[Before Mayor Morrison, of Allegheny.]

DISCHARGED.

John Berger, charged with the larceny of rope from a raft belonging to A. C. Taggart, had a hearing on the charge yesterday, and the evidence failing to implicate him, he was discharged.

RELEASED.

Bella Benner *alias* Bella Alwell, committed to jail by Alderman Strain on a charge of breach of the peace, was released yesterday on bail.

SLANDER.

A man named Richard Hancox was arrested yesterday on a *capias* and committed to jail, a suit for slander having been instituted against him by Thos. Simpson. The matter was afterwards settled, and the prisoner discharged from custody.

[Before Alderman Strain.]

WIFE DESERTION.

George Miller, residing in the Second ward, was arrested yesterday on complaint of his wife, Zacoba Miller, who alleged that he had abandoned her and refused to provide or contribute to her support. He was held for a hearing.

FALSE PRETENSES.

Albert L. Kenndey, keeper of a shirt store on Smithfield street, made information against L. Shafer, charging him with obtaining from him goods to the amount of $27 75 by false and fraudulent representations. A warrant for his arrest was issued.

TROVER AND CONVERSION.

John McMahan lodged complaint against Fred. Scharwickle, keeper of a blacksmith shop on Pennsylvania Avenue, for trover and conversion. Deponent alleges that he left a wagon at defendant's shop to have it repaired but when he called for it, defendant refused to give it to him. The accused was arrested and held for a hearing.

[Before Alderman Morrow.]

FALSE PRETENSE.

A young lady named Jennie Smith made an information yesterday against E. Schwitzer, keeper of a dry goods store on Wylie street, for false pretenses. Deponent alleges that she purchased some goods at defendant's store, which the latter represented to be French lawn, which afterwards, however, proved to be goods of an inferior quality and not as represented. A hearing will be had in the case this evening.

TORE DOWN A BAKE OVEN.

Frank Girard was charged yesterday with malicious mischief, in tearing down a bake oven on the premises of Dennis Breen, on Tunnel street. A warrant for his arrest was issued.

FORESTALLING.

Three hucksters were arrested yesterday in the Diamond Market by the Market Constable, for forestalling the market. They were fined three dollars each and costs.

[Before Alderman McMasters.]

QUARREL AT A TEA PARTY.

Mrs. Mary Coulter, a resident of Birmingham, yesterday lodged information against Daniel McFinnan, who resides in Lower St. Clair township, for assault and battery. It appears that Mrs. Coulter had been invited by Mrs. McFinnan, wife of the defendant, to take tea with her on Tuesday. Everything passed off very pleasantly during the day, and while Mrs. C. and McF. were at tea, Mr. McFinnan came home. The sight of Mrs. Coulter eating at his table caused his wrath to burn, and, it is alleged, swearing that he was not working at hard labor to keep other people, he picked up her bonnet and threw them on to the road, and then forcibly ejected her from the house. A warrant for the arrest of the accused was issued.

Public Amusements.

OPERA HOUSE.—A large audience was present last night to witness the performance of the "Streets of New York," which was very creditable throughout. Sefton was at home in his character of "Puffy," and was roundly applauded, as was also Mrs. Sefton and Mr. Leak. The play will be repeated this evening. To-morrow evening Mrs. Sefton, or, as she is better known to our citizens, Annie Eberle, will take a benefit, and an unusually attractive bill will be presented. On Saturday afternoon there will be a matinee performance.

The Pride of Paris.

And, indeed, of all France, in an artistic way, is Hector Berlioz, the great composer, and the French Beethoven. A letter from Paris to the *New York Review*, says: "As one of the most flattering compliments ever paid to any piano manufacturer, by so great a musician as Berlioz, I consider his remarks about the Steinway piano worth repeating. He said: 'If I had known such pianos thirty years ago, I probably should have composed for the piano only. This Steinway system gives you an entire orchestra, or a smaller scale, with all the advantages of the richest instrumentation. Steinway's pianos are the only ones, of all those I have heretofore heard, that possess the most perfect beauty of the harmony, without the slightest addition of that screaming seventh, which has never been avoided in the other system of piano manufacture. This alone, independent of the many other advantages and superior qualities these instruments possess, would be sufficient to mark a new epoch in the history of piano-making.'

"By making public these remarks I commit no breach of confidence, as they were made in the presence of several listeners, and as the venerable composer said he was willing to repeat them in writing."

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FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT—The House and Lot at present occupied by the subscriber, situated on Bidwell street (Manchester Passenger Railway) 67 feet 8½ inches wide, and running through the same width 296 feet 10 inches, to Allegheny Avenue. Terms easy. ISAAC CRAIG, Bidwell street, Allegheny.

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STOLEN.

STRAYED OR STOLEN—A HORSE—A suitable reward will be paid for the recovery of a Brown Horse, taken or strayed from the pasture of the undersigned, at Braddock's Fields, on the night of the 24th inst. Said horse is about 14 hands high, heavy tail, natural trotter, spirited but gentle, white on foot and star in the forehead. ISAAC MILLS, Braddock's Fields.

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IMPROVEMENT OF THE Minnesota, Mississippi and Wisconsin Rivers.

UNITED STATES ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
ST. PAUL, MINN., June 22, 1867.

Sealed Proposals in duplicate will be received at this office, addressed to the undersigned, until 12 M., THURSDAY, July 25th, as follows:

FIRST.

Proposals for Removing Snags and Boulders from the Channel of the Minnesota River.

This work is in two sections, the Upper Section being from the junction of the Yellow Medicine River to Mankato, 133 miles, has reefs of small and large boulders, and snags singly or in groups. The width is about 200 feet; the low water channel way 20 to 40 feet wide, with depth from 10 to 24 inches, and current half to 2 miles per hour. The Lower Section being from Mankato to the Little Rapids, 61 miles, is mainly obstructed by snags. The width is about 250 to 300 feet; the low water channel way 40 to 80 feet wide, with depth from 15 to 20 inches, and current one to two miles per hour. The Little Rapids at low water can only be passed by light vessels of one foot draft. With a rise of four feet, these rapids are no obstruction.

The banks throughout the river are generally alluvial from 10 to 20 feet above low water. The floods reach 25 feet above low water. By the term "snag" is meant sunken logs and stumps, and trees with roots imbedded in the bottom of the stream. They vary in diameter from one-half to 3½ feet. The boulders will not require stronger lifting machinery than the snags will, and may be deposited in deep holes, but snags must be destroyed or placed where they cannot again wash into the channel way. The work will be let entire or in such parts as the engineer may determine. $37,000 is appropriated for this work.

Contractors will state the price of removal per snag of the following diameters above the root: First, between 6 inches and 20 inches. Second, between 20 inches and 30 inches. Third, between 30 inches and 36 inches. Fourth, between 36 inches and 42 inches. The price of removing boulders will be stated by the ton or cubic yard.

Contractors will be required to furnish their own boats, machinery, &c., as well as labor, to interfere as little as practicable with navigation, and to show that they possess the necessary skill and experience, and that the means to be used are adapted to the river, and that suitable in construction and mechanical power. They will be required to commence work at two points at least by the first of September next, the stage of water permitting.

These proposals must be indorsed on the envelope "Proposals for removing snags and boulders from the Minnesota river."

SECOND.

Proposals to Sell to the United States Two (2) Substantial Light Draught Steamers of the Following General Dimensions, viz:

No. 1.—Hull 120 feet long, 25 feet wide, exclusive of guards, with 3½ or 4 feet depth of hold; to draw 18 inches light. Boilers, two (2) 22 feet long, 33 feet diameter, 4 flues. Engines double, cylinders 6 feet stroke, 18 inches diameter, poppet valves.

No. 2.—Hull 150 long, 32 feet wide, exclusive of guards, with 4 to 5 feet depth of hold; to draw 20 inches light. Boilers, three (3) 24 feet long by 38 inches diameter, 4 flues. Engines double, cylinders 84 inches by 22 inches, poppet valves.

The bids may be for either side wheel or stern wheel boats. The wheel or wheels to be of suitable diameter, and length of bucket to correspond with dimensions of boilers and engines given above.

Boilers to be of best ¼ inches charcoal iron, capable of sustaining a working pressure of 150 pounds to the square inch, with improved guages for testing pressure of steam and height of water.

Engines to be of most approved pattern now in use on Western waters, with "doctor" for supplying boilers, and "nigger," or capstan, and hoisting engines.

Boat not be over two (2) years old, in a good repair, sound condition, substantially built of best material, and fully equipped with spars, derricks, capstan, bells, steam whistle, tools, tackle and all needful outfit for immediate service.

It is essential that the boats offered for sale as above specified have a bluff or well rounded bow, in order to insure a great amount of bearing capacity forward.

The cabin required will be of moderate dimensions, such as usually furnished to freight boats.

The proposals must describe minutely the construction and dimensions of every part of hull and upper works, machinery and outfit, and place where boat is offered and must be endorsed on the envelope "Proposals to sell steamboats."

Fifteen days after signing contracts will be allowed for delivery of boats.

THIRD.

Proposals to wreck steamer "Northern Light."

The Northern Light lies in the channel in the lower end of Coon Slough, where she sunk in April, 1866, and since, abandoned by her owners. The Government reserves no right to possess anything removed from her—the wreckers to enjoy all the rights pertaining to such enterprises.

Contractors will state the charge for removing every part of this vessel and machinery down as low five feet below extreme low water during the present season, and no bid will be considered unless the party offering it shall give satisfactory evidence that he is reliable and possessed of the ability to perform the work.

Proposals to be endorsed on the envelope "Proposals to wreck steamer Northern Light."

A printed copy of this advertisement must be attached to each proposal herein solicited. Each bid must contain a written guarantee, signed by two responsible persons. Blanks for proposals will be furnished at this office on application.

The Government reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Parties desiring further information can obtain the same by calling at this office, where maps of the rivers and drawings of vessels are removing snags and boulders will be shown to those who desire to make proposals.

G. K. WARREN,
Brevet Major General U. S. A.,
Major Engrs. in Chge.

The Daily Commercial

THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 1867.

THE COMMERCIAL *is the largest daily paper in the State, and gives daily one-fourth more reading than any other paper in Pittsburgh. It is the only Pittsburgh paper that uses the telegraph liberally, gives full market reports, and all the news of the day.*

DAILY PRESS OF PITTSBURGH

The following were the receipts for advertising by the leading daily papers in Pittsburgh, for the two months ending March 1, 1867, at which date the tax law ceased:

COMMERCIAL,	$13,168 00
Gazette,	12,486 14
Chronicle,	12,125 00
Dispatch,	12,051 79
Post,	7,865 85

The receipts by the same papers from the same source, for the fourteen months ending March 1, 1867, were as follows:

COMMERCIAL,	$78,338
Dispatch,	75,616
Chronicle,	68,610
Gazette,	65,997
Post,	33,042

IT seems to be well established that up to the capture of Queretaro through the treason of LOPEZ, the Imperialists were successful; and it is furthermore asserted on good authority that on all occasions MAXIMILIAN displayed the most brilliant courage and soldierly qualities. But for the LOPEZ betrayal its capture would not have taken place.

AS YET the address published as from MAXIMILIAN written immediately after his capture, stands as genuine. No proof to sustain the conjecture of forgery has yet appeared. Should it turn out to be genuine, and true that he has been released and will depart for Austria, he will have the satisfaction of witnessing the effect of the document—a turn of affairs which it is apparent he did not contemplate as possible when he wrote it.

IT must have occurred to those who can go back thirty years in the politics of our country that Mr. SEWARD, in traveling to Boston to celebrate the dedication of the grand Masonic Temple there, was slightly out of place. The distinguished Secretary rode into public life on the high wave of Anti-Masonry, with Mr. WEED for his guide and champion. Opposition to Masonry was his hobby, his sole stock-in-trade for a long time; and he is credited with holding the old grudge against Mr. CLAY to such an extent that he felt like doing him more harm than good,—in fact even now, we believe, it is an open question whether or not he did not act as he felt.

Although Mr. SEWARD's hostility to Masonry—if not hostility to the Institution, the chance of turning it to an account—may have gone by; yet he seems to have felt that, while the President received and bestowed the honors intended on the occasion, it would be as well for him to see a friend or two in another part of the city. At any rate, we see nothing of Mr. SEWARD in connection with the Masonic proceedings. It is to be presumed that he is not yet ranked among the brothers of the Order; though it is not probable that, so far as he himself is concerned, he would find any difficulty in conquering his prejudices; for one who has changed as he has on the slavery question would probably experience no trouble in that line.

—Mr. SEWARD is, of course, entitled to the excuse he made to the Boston Masons—"family afflictions"—which had for some time past prevented his attending public dinners. No one will question the validity of the excuse, but why did not Mr. SEWARD think of it in North Carolina; and as for that, why did he leave Washington at all?

DOMESTIC SERVANTS.

If any gentleman or lady, having charge of a domestic establishment, or if any number of such persons, be consulted on the subject of necessary nuisances or indispensable plagues, a remarkable uniformity will be found among them in the opinion, that the leading place is due a class, a large class, of female servants, better known in this country as *helps*, or hired girls. And yet it will be discovered, at the same time, that no terms are too emphatic or eulogistic to express the high estimation in which good, honest, reliable domestics are held. A "treasure" is one of the common terms to designate their value.

It is not probable that the curse of Canaan ever came more literally upon any class than upon American housekeepers—especially that part of the curse which doomed Canaan to be "*a servant of servants.*" A large proportion of the ladies of our towns and cities are brought to this unfortunate condition. The domestic servants have got the upper hand of the domestic mistresses, and if individuals are possessed of an ordinary measure of shrewdness, they can govern their employers and through them the arrangements of their domestic establishments. No doubt complaints are often made without due causes. But making all reasonable allowance for unreasonable mistresses and deducting something for the fashion and habit of complaining through lack of conversational ability, there is enough left to justify the conviction, that the normal relation of mistress and servant has undergone some jar and derangement under our republican institutions. There is—and more than one reason might be assigned for it—a sense of helplessness and dependence betrayed by many housekeepers, that has a strong tendency to encourage Miss BRIDGET in assuming airs and in making demands not properly belongng to her subordinate position.

This has become so general, so manifest and so annoying, that housekeepers would be entirely justifiable in entering into some agreement among themselves, for their mutual relief and benefit. The resolute adoption and adherence to a few just rules of action, in the premises, would effect reformation, beneficial to servants as well as themselves. Those rules should embrace primarily a demand for a good character as a condition of employment. This would at once introduce a discrimination between good servants and bad, and so would be to the benefit of the good in the way of recognition and wages, and perhaps, at the same time, a stimulus to the inferior and unskilled and careless, to mend their ways. As things now are, the good are losers, in point of character and respect, through the unworthy or bad conduct of the baser sort. The advantages of this plan have been proved by long experience in other countries. And the need of it is apparent in this. The assumption, the dishonesty and the general worthlessness of a large number of female servants render it necessary. Motives or reasons may be derived from the inconvenience that housekeepers experience under the present system, from the exposure of children to pernicious influences, and even from the claims of justice in behalf of honest and faithful female servants. The remedy for the evils complained of, and the means of securing the great benefit of good servants, are in the hands of ladies themselves, if they will but make the effort.

VIRGINIA SLAVERY AND FINANCES.

Some idea may be formed of the immense change that has taken place in the financial condition of Virginia and in the circles of business, by considering the case of Richmond, the commercial emporium of the State, as well as its Capital. One entire and most extensive department of its trade is completely swept away—not only interrupted, but absolutely and permanently abolished. The traffic in slaves was far more extensive than was commonly supposed. Judge UNDERWOOD has estimated the number of dealers as high as 400. By others it has been placed considerably lower. But the amount of business done in this line, the buying and selling of men, women and children—mostly the latter—is set down at $20,000,000 per year.

This is no longer a business. Whatever is done with or by the negro now, there is no buying and selling of him. The business may be compensated for by some other taking its place, but this is not likely to have occurred so soon and in so chaotic a condition as the affairs of the city were left in by the rebellion. The financial trouble resulting from this vast and sudden change must be obvious, and yet so great as to defy anything like an accurate estimate. Nor is this, by any means, the full extent of the pecuniary consequences following emancipation. Throughout the State, the business of buying and selling slaves is ended. The extent of the trade could not have been less in all the rest of the State than in Richmond, or $20,000,000. Besides this the stock on hand, say 400,000, at three hundred dollars a head, equal to $120,000,000, becomes instantaneously worthless, as articles of trade, the fine black boy or girl being no better in the market than one of the white race.

The abstraction of all this trade and the depreciation, even to absolute valuelessness, of all this "portable property," must produce a near approach to a *vacuum* in the pockets of the old slave growers and dealers, and must mightily derange as well as enfeeble the financial interests of the State. But, after all, it would be a great mistake, to suppose the real loss was as great as these figures might seem to indicate. The public interest may, in fact, have lost nothing at all by the change that has occurred. In connection with the public interest, the usual valuation was put upon the black men according to their capability for producing wealth. That capability is not necessarily lost by emancipation. It may be greatly increased. The public financial interest of Virginia is not, therefore, necessarily damaged or endangered in any way by the abolition of slavery and the slave trade within its borders. And in reference to private interests, what is lost by one set of individuals is gained by another. The change in the tenure of the property does not destroy or diminish its value. And there is, besides, some gain to justice and humanity and civilization, by the revolution of affairs, which restores the natural and right adjustment for an arrangement that was artificial arbitrary and absurd to the highest degree, and which makes the colored man the proprietor of himself instead of being the property of another.

THE Sultan of Turkey having signified his assent to the proposition made by the *Great Powers* of Europe for a joint commission to arrange for a settlement of the Eastern Question, the sovereignty of the people of Candia will speedily follow. This humiliation will prove the forerunner of the downfall of Turkey, and the future of the Mediterranean quarter of the globe will be materially affected by it. Looking on the map of the world, and contemplating our opening relations with the East in connection with our steam lines to China and railroad across the Continent, it is not difficult to perceive that the United States have a deep interest in the question. Happily, too, we are in a position to grasp the advantages which the probable solution of the Turkish question will confer.

ALTHOUGH Secretary Stanton stands alone in the Cabinet in resisting Executive usurpation, yet the people are with him and will sustain him to the end. It is no secret that the Secretary realizes in General Grant a warm and effective supporter.

THE crops throughout New Jersey promise to be unusually large. In Sussex and other of the more northern counties, the yield of wheat and rye will be enormous, exceeding that of any previous year for a long time past. The yield of fruit also promises to be much beyond the average.

WE have inadvertently neglected to say that George Baber, Esq., formerly of the *Louisville Journal*, has become the editor of the *Evening Advocate*, of this city. Mr. B. appears to be quite at home in the editorial chair, and the *Advocate* has already improved under his management. We cordially welcome him to our city, and hope that all his expectations in his new position will be realized.

THE Chicago *Republican* regards the speech of General Rawlings "as a whole a masterly argument for reconstruction on the plan laid down by Congress, and for manhood suffrage. What more was necessary to a full indorsement of Republicanism? Henceforth there can be no controversy on the political sympathies of General Grant. His actions have established the radicalism of his loyalty, but this speech settles the question beyond dispute."

GEN. WEITZEL, now attached to the topographical corps of the regular army, with the rank of Major, will have charge of the surveys for a canal around the Falls of the Ohio on the Indiana side. The New Albany *Ledger* remarks: "The scheme for a canal around the falls on the Indiana side is not an idle one. The Government realized the vast importance of such a canal during the war, and it is determined to build it now and thus provide against any further exigency."

THE speculators in breadstuffs have commenced to croak, and false reports of crop failures are afloat. Several reports of the kind have been telegraphed from different points in the West, but they have been promptly corrected. A writer who has traveled through Illinois, Indiana, Iowa and Ohio says crops never looked better—corn included. He says he heard a man offer to deliver in Richmond, Indiana, before January, 1868, at the option of the buyer, 200,000 bushels wheat at $1 50 a bushel.

THE MURDER OF COL. RIDDLE.—In the Philadelphia Common Council on Monday a special committee of five members was appointed to inquire, investigate, and ascertain whether Wm. J. Ovens, one of the Assessors of the Seventh ward, has not been guilty of a gross violation of the duties of his office, and whether the requirements of the laws and ordinances governing assessors have not been violated and disregarded by that officer, and whether his official conduct on the occasion of the late and brutal murder of Colonel Riddle has not been such as to warrant an impeachment by the Councils; and if the committee deem the evidence sufficient, they are instructed to report articles of impeachment.

THE Cincinnati *Enquirer* professes to know that Minister Campbell resigned the position of Minister to Mexico because Mr. Seward's instructions were to look after a speculation quite as much as the interest of the United States. It is alleged that soon after the French had landed in Mexico, and Maximilian had got somewhat established, an express company, in which a nephew of Mr. Seward was interested, shipped to Vera Cruz a large number of mules and wagons that found their way into the Imperial service, and that the nephew of our Secretary of State, who was interested in the mules and wagons, joined the fortunes of Maximilian, and remained with him through all his successes and reverses even to the hour of his capture.

American Prisoners in the Fejee Islands.

A rumor has been in circulation in New London, Connecticut, for several days, to the effect that Captain Silas Buchanan and wife, and Riley Sweet, all of New London, who were supposed to have been lost at sea many years ago, are still living—prisoners at one of the Fejee Islands. Captain Buchanan sailed from San Francisco, some eleven or twelve years since, bound for Australia accompanied by his wife. The vessel in which he sailed, a small fore-and-aft schooner, called the Sea Breeze, was never heard from and it was believed that she went down at sea, and that all on board perished. She was owned principally by Captain Buchanan and Riley Sweet, the latter going out in her as mate.

Edward Chapman, formerly of New London, a son-in-law of Captain Buchanan, upon hearing the rumor of his safety, at once proceeded to New York, to look up the men who reported the story, and who are said to have been in captivity with them. If he finds the reports well founded, he will go on to Washington immediately, and make efforts to have a Government vessel dispatched to the Islands without delay, for the purpose of rescuing the parties from their long confinement.

A ST. PETERSBURG correspondent says that the Czar took with him to Western Europe gold snuff-boxes, diamond brooches, bracelets, &c., to the value of 300,000 roubles, or somewhat more than $225,000, besides 1,500 orders, of which twelve are the St. Andrew. They were to be given away to persons who manifested courtesies to his majesty, or who performed services that could not well be repaid with money.

A FAST young man belonging to an "upper-ten" family at the West End of the "Hub" was coaxed by his brother and sister last Wednesday to take a ride to the English steamer at East Boston, under the plea that a certain friend was going to Europe. When the steamer was about starting he was told peremptorily that he must stay, a stateroom being pointed out that had been engaged for him. His baggage was there in readiness, and he could not escape.

"LIFE'S INVESTMENTS."

Address of President George Woods, LL. D., to the Graduating Class of Western University.

This interesting exercise in connection with the conclusion of the University career of the class of '67 took place at University Hall on Tuesday morning, several of the Alumni and other friends of the institution being present. The long intercourse of Dr. Woods with intelligent young minds has naturally led him into a style of address smooth and elegant, whilst yet clear and direct, ever reminding one that the object in view is to lay before his young friends the treasures of his learning and experience. Feeling that we can do the effort but scant justice in any thing like an epitome, we nevertheless attempt to present to our readers a general view of its scope. The subject chosen was

"LIFE'S INVESTMENTS."

"One of the Rothschilds once remarked," said the Doctor, "that to *obtain* money is easy; to *keep* it requires all of one's time and care. How to make safe and profitable investments is a question with all. To accumulate against sickness or old age or for others dependent on us, is the desire of the wise and prudent. Even some of the lower animals provide for winter's cold. And the principle of accumulation is divinely recognized in the words: 'Lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven.'"

Reference was then made to nature's generous legacies for man in the mine and the fertile soil, as also to the universality of the instinct which prompts us to lay up in store for the day of need, and to seek a place of safe deposit for these fruits of our labor and self denial. As all have it not in their power to make *pecuniary* investments for the future, it was natural here to speak of those which every man *can* make and secure to himself for the present life and that to which it shall introduce us—investments which each man must make for himself—this capital not being like Esau's birthright, transferable.

RETURNS SURE, FOR GOOD OR EVIL.

To annihilate our minds and characters is impossible. Long after suns and stars shall have faded away they will be ours, and we are daily and hourly settling the question whether they shall bring us joy or sorrow in that eternal harvest time lying before each one of us.

Thoughtlessness improvidence, spending all of one's earnings, so that when want of employment, sickness, or the infirmities of age shall come, poverty and suffering will follow, are universally condemned. But men are even more reckless and prodigal of their time, talents and characters. They often exhibit an entire disregard of their richest possessions. Even those who in the view of the world are the wisest and most successful, are often wholly unmindful of their highest interests. Our material returns may disappoint us; at best, all our estate must be relinquished at death. But investments in knowledge, in goodness and excellence, and in acts worthily done will bring sure and lasting returns. Every moment improved, every noble aspiration cherished, every temptation resisted is a rich investment.

The pleasant smile of the child and the kind feeling cherished, tend to secure beauty of expression, happiness, health and temporal success, as well as eternal blessedness. On the other hand, the frown, the look of anger, the indulged hate, will soon impress themselves permanently on the countenance, to be read by every passer-by, will produce unhappiness, ill-will, and failure in this and a future world. Thus it is that all we do is productive of a present and a future good or evil—a laying up for coming time. The sum of the effects of all our thoughts, feelings, words and deeds will constitute our characters, our investments for the future. When investments of this kind are made, no human wisdom or power can change them. We may mourn over the errors of the past, but the effects remain, and will go on forever working out their results. A person who may have wasted a part of his life, and formed evil habits, may see his folly, repent, and change his course of life. Yet this will not change the investments of the past or redeem the years that are gone. In addition to this, it is more difficult to make good investments in the future in consequence of the habits that have been formed.

The business man who for years squanders his money in vice and dissipation or by bad investments, loses beyond recovery not only his money, but his reputation. So it is with life's investments. All draw from the bank in which they deposit their good or evil; they reap what they sow, wheat or tares. If Satan is chosen for a banker, on him they must draw; if God, He will honor their drafts. If they deposit for time alone, their checks will at death cease to be good, and they go into eternal bankruptcy. If they deposit for eternity, they will reap a thousand fold in this life, and in the world to come life everlasting.

THE PROCESS OF ACCUMULATION.

The first dollar earned and invested may be the beginning of the future of the millionaire. So the first intelligent act of the child may control the future man. Having a wish opposed to that of the parent, it yields submissively, giving up its own will, and resigning itself to the control of its natural governor. Here is the beginning of self-government and submission, in the dutiful child, the obedient citizen, the trustful disciple. A little later, he is tempted to conceal a fault by an untruth. To do so, he knows is wrong. A struggle ensues between desire and duty. If the former triumphs, the foundation is laid of an untruthful, dishonest man; if the latter, then is there the same indication of the future good and upright man—a small beginning of a great and grand result. The seed cast into the earth is small, and its first act of germination does not promise great things; but it is one step, and an important one, toward the formation of the great tree.

Later still he mingles with the crowd and indulges in the sports of the hour. He hears the bitter taunt, the provoking challenge—the charge of cowardice, and receives the angry blow. To retort, to utter reproachful words, and engage in the angry fight, is the prompting of his heart, but "he remembers that forgiveness is better than revenge," he brooks the insult, bids the tempest within be still, assumes the control of himself, increases his self respect, and instead of the passionate and quarrelsome man, becomes the peaceful, loved, and honored citizen.

The young man bends all his energies upon the acquirement of a trade or the mastering of the details of mercantile transactions, and later age becomes to him a rich harvest time. The girl invests her youth in frivolous amusements, in superficial study, in accomplishments comparatively useless, and becomes the insipid and vain woman, with an aimless and unhappy life; or she devotes herself to severe and close study, elevated tastes and aims, and becomes the intelligent, interesting, useful and noble woman.

The presentation of these truths was enlivened by examples derived from the speaker's own observation, as he had watched the development of character in youth and manhood. He then drew upon his stores of historic learning for

ILLUSTRATIONS.

Many years ago two young men were pursuing their studies in a law office in New England. One of them labored hard and industriously, and after completing his studies was settled for a number of years in a small country village. His habits of application and of right-doing were strengthened. His thorough knowledge of law and his excellent character secured for him a professorship in Harvard University. There, for many years, he was known as an instructor, the author of various law books now read and studied in all parts of our land, and as an upright, good and learned man. He died full of honors. The other depended more on his genius, and had less application; yet he was admitted to be an able advocate. As one evil habit usually follows another, so in his case, a love of strong drink followed his indolence and self-indulgence. Still, for years, while nerves were shattered and his whole frame showed the marks of dissipation, his severe logic and persuasive eloquence commanded the public ear. He would occasionally fight against the enemy that was gradually but surely bringing him to shame and ruin, but he had never formed the habit of steadily and bravely overcoming difficulties, and in this as in many previous conflicts he succumbed, and at last filled a drunkard's grave. Can any one question for a moment which made the better, the wiser investment, even for the present world?

Richard Cobden, the earnest reformer, the warm friend of the people, the persuasive pleader in Parliament, the man of rare intelligence, and of spotless integrity, worked his way up in life from a boy in a London warehouse, where he trained himself to habits of industry and self-culture. He enjoyed but the slenderest possible rudiments of education. Yet what a rich legacy of earnest words and noble deeds has he left!

Contrast such a life with that of Wm. Beckford. With an income of £100,000 a year, he lived in a palace with gilded and painted ceilings, spread with Persian carpets of the finest texture, with table decked with superb ewers and basins of chased silver, all whose furnishings exceeded those of oriental splendor. Yet with all his elegant surroundings and his princely treasure he was a wretched man, wandered from his mansion; and spent his last days in misery. When the investments others had made for him were spent, he became a poverty-stricken outcast.

In the latter part of a most laborious life, the Hon. T. H. Benton said he attributed his great power of endurance, and whatever of usefulness he had been able to attain, to abstinence from tobacco, gambling and ardent spirits, in accordance with the wish of a noble mother. Lord Shaftsbury says, "Of all the adult male criminals in London, not two in a hundred lived an honest life up to the age of twenty; and that almost all who enter upon a course of crime do so between the ages of eight and sixteen." Their investments are made early.

There was here introduced and enlarged upon, at some length, the point that the premature deaths of men of ripened intellectual and moral powers, and the prostration of such men by disease when just ready to set forth upon the career for which they have been in training, are altogether illogically adduced as examples of efforts wasted and attainments lost. As if the fruits of our Heavenly Father's discipline were no richer if matured upon a nobly developed tree, or as if the highest culture earth can afford to the immortal part of man, were out of place amid the "goodly fellowship" of heaven!

Closing the general discussion of his subject with a few earnest and impressive words upon the folly of gambling away all life's precious opportunities, and with them, manhood and heaven, the learned doctor, with evident feeling, proceeded to address the young men who rose to listen, with deep solemnity, to the parting counsels of a revered instructor.

ADDRESS TO THE GRADUATING CLASS.

In selecting this subject for your consideration at this time, as you are about to leave these halls where you have passed important years, in preparing yourselves for life's future duties, my object has been to impress on you the great purpose of life, most earnestly desiring that it may be your aim in the future as it has been in the past, to perfect your characters in all that is lovely, true and noble. The habits you have here formed, we believe, will secure you power and influence, and we trust it will be your purpose to wield them for good. However, in the great battle of life, there is so much to lure from the path of right and there are so many persons of high standing in the eyes of the world who do not scruple to do a mean and dishonorable act, especially if it will be a gain to them, that it will require the most unflinching determination, the firmest principle and most constant watchfulness to prevent the gradual undermining of a good character, and the ruin of all your hopes. Many are thus led into a course of vice and folly. So that we would avail ourselves of this opportunity to urge you to consider the cultivation of learning and the improvement of your characters and tastes, and the doing of good to others as the great purpose of life; that failure here is complete, and that success here is all that can be desired. An important part of the period allotted us for mental culture, and the acquisition of knowledge, with you is now past. Now it is yours to engage in the sterner duties of life; to meet its responsibilities, its successes, and its disappointments. The past, whether improved or neglected, cannot be recalled. All your attainments in learning, your mental discipline, your habits of industry and application, your victories over evil are such investments for the future, which will fully reward you for all the hours devoted to study, and all the self-denial practiced. However faithful you may have been, you will see, as every one does, much occasion to regret wasted hours and golden opportunities. But it is not the part of wisdom to waste our energies in vain regrets for past errors and follies.

To reap the harvest awaiting all improved time, and all worthy deeds, and to sow wisely and bountifully for a still larger harvest, will be your duty. Reaping and sowing together will be your work;—investing and drawing your investments. Before you lies

"The great, deep, stupendous secret
Of a life to be wrought out
Into warm heroic action,
Weakened not by fear or doubt."

Whatever may have been your anticipations of satisfaction on completing your Collegiate course, in view of attainments made and honors won, these will appear less and less adequate for the great duties of life as time advances. On them alone you cannot depend for success. They are only the foundation on which to rear the superstructure. At the age of twenty-one Henry Martyn was awarded the highest academical honors. Of this he afterwards said, "I obtained my highest wishes, but was surprised to find I had grasped a shadow."

If you are to be strong, intelligent men, vigorous efforts are ever hereafter to be made. Endeavor so far as possible to counteract all evil tendencies arising from poor investments of time, disposition or character. From the neglects, failures and defeats of the past, learn wisdom which will enable you to win success and victory in the future.

Especially would I entreat you, with all tenderness and earnestness, never for a moment to forget the rich and ever increasing rewards of another life. There let your treasure be. The perfecting of your own characters in all that is excellent and lovely, doing good to others, living for God will surely yield a rich and permanent return. This tearful sowing for a day will furnish joyful reaping for eternal years. No pure thought cherished, no self denial practiced, no worthy deed performed, no high aspiration indulged will ever go unrewarded. The spiritual and what belongs to mind and character alone are eternal. No work truly and manfully done for Christ will ever prove a poor investment.

This cultivating the spiritual, this laboring for your highest intellectual and moral good, this effort for the happiness of man and the glory of God, is a life work. No "one long spell of labor" will entitle you to rest the remaining part of life.

"Day by day must see thee toiling,
Patient, though thy work be scanned;
Day by day in constant effort,
Some new beauties shall expand;
Day by day some lines erasing,
Drawn by too impatient hand.

"Faithful to thy noblest purpose,
Eager, earnest for the prize,
Gazing at thy great Example,
Fill His glory all thine eyes;
Till the work of life completed,
Rest is thine beyond the skies!"

GENERAL INTELLIGENCE.

Eighty-four of the principal merchants of Main street, Louisville, have united in a petition to their landlords for a reduction of rents. As they have generally had bad luck in business during the past year, they feel the necessity of retrenchment.

The Colorado volunteers seem by no means eager to fight under Gen. Sherman; but the streets of Denver are dotted with black flags, indicating "extermination to the Indians." The truth is, Sherman does not approve of the "scalps with the ears on" style of fighting.

Different places are created for different reasons. The following paragraph in the editorial columns of the Chicago *Times* is an example: "Chicago is a great place. The descent made by the police on a fashionable boarding-house, and the capture therein of the complainant in a late notorious divorce suit, in the arms of another man, is a Chicagoish development. Cincinnati is too poor to afford anything equal to this. St. Louis will mumble its ancient gums with envy at the superior enterprise of Chicago; Milwaukee will feel itself a tallow dip as it compares its futile sensational immorality with the great sum of wickedness of Chicago."

Private advices from portions of the South inform us that there is a great scarcity of currency there, there being not nearly enough greenback or bank notes to transact the ordinary business. Their banking system fell into ruins during the war, and Congress has thus far refused to extend the national banking system sufficiently to provide a remedy.

The tide of emigration has once more set in the iron and coal districts of South Wales, and hundreds have already left, and many more are preparing to follow. As was the case in 1865 and 1866, fully eighty-five to ninety per cent. of the emigrants are bound to the United States, and the remainder are distributed over the various British colonies.

The correspondent of the Chicago *Republican* states that it has been determined to locate the transfer grounds of the Union Pacific Railroad at Council Bluffs, on the Iowa side of the Missouri river. This will be regarded as a severe blow by the Omahaus.

H. M. Diggins, a Cincinnati agent of the Manhattan Life Insurance Company, has been arrested and placed under $20,000 bonds to answer to the charge of having embezzled funds belonging to the Company to the amount of $10,000.

PERSONAL.

—The correspondent of the New York *Times* writes as follows: As the question of who is Marcus Ottenbourg, the new Mexican Minister, is being raised, your correspondent will state, in addition to what he has before said, that he is a German gentleman of excellent ability, and in supplanting Campbell with him the Government gains not only in having a Minister in Mexico, but in having a representative with brains and practical energy. He is neither an Austrian nor a partisan of Maximilian, but belongs to the German revolutionary party, and was exiled in 1849 along with Carl Schurz, Hecker, and others of that stamp. In American politics he is a deeply-dyed Radical. He has made a faithful and excellent Consul, and there is no reason to doubt but that he will be up to the average of recent foreign appointments.

—Queen Victoria, whose projected munificence proves to have been a hoax and a broad sarcasm, is said to be, in fact, very parsimonious. It is related that she used to walk through the kitchens of the palace regularly every day and blow up and dismiss the servants, if she saw any butter wasted or crusts of bread lying about. To such an extent did she do this that several servants left on that account alone. Knowing all this, the British public were not less surprised than gratified at the announcement that their gracious sovereign had resolved to donate the savings which she had accumulated during her long and solitary widowhood to the erection of a convalescent hospital at a short distance from London.

—Rev. H. W. Beecher's story of Norwood will appear from advance sheets in the London *Christian World*.

—Thomas Winans has concluded to make his permanent home at St. Petersburg, Russia, and his splendid private residence at Baltimore is offered for sale.

—A letter from Rome says that among the notabilities now in that city is a ritualist clergyman of the Anglican Church who appears at all the Roman Catholic ceremonies attired in the full dress of a pilgrim or hermit, and assists most devoutly at all the religious functions of the season.

—The Empress Eugenie has written to the Princess of Wales to persuade her to live with her for a few months, insisting that a complete change of air might be beneficial to her health, and assuring her that she will receive all the affectionate care of a sister.

The Material Aspect of the South.

A gentleman claiming to possess adequate information, writes to the *Tribune* as follows:—"Virginia seems not to be as forward in agricultural enterprise as some other States. The large towns are dull, excepting perhaps Norfolk. In North Carolina there is a full average acreage of cotton, and a fourth more of corn planted than ever before. Both promise largely. In South Carolina the poverty of the planters is reported as having prevented as much planting as would have been done. A large area of corn is under cultivation and promises well; cotton looks flourishing. In Georgia and Florida the crops are large in area and promise well. Alabama offers an excellent prospect. Things there seem generally better materially than in the other States, with perhaps the exception of North Carolina. Louisiana and Mississippi are badly off, owing to the crevasses in the levee, and in Mississippi to the want of labor also. Arkansas is not in much better condition. Texas, from all accounts, is flourishing beyond all former years. A gentleman whose duties give him a thorough insight into and knowledge of the agricultural position of the South, and who for two months has traveled through the South, estimates the probable yield of the cotton crop this year at two million and a half bales."

A REMARKABLE CONVENTION.

Republican State Meeting in Lousiana—Colored Men Speaking for Themselves.

The New Orleans correspondent of the Chicago *Republican* writes as follows under date of June 17th:

The Republican State Convention of Louisiana assembled in this city on Monday last, and adjourned on Saturday night. In many respects this body was a remarkable one. It was composed of eighty-four members, fifty-eight of whom were negroes. They came from all quarters of the State, and represented all grades of society. No one could witness the deliberations of these men without being impressed with a conviction of their earnestness, their sincerity, and their ability. In this convention there were nearly threescore men who, up to this time, had never been permitted to exercise the privileges of American citizens. Many of them had been slaves—others, although nominally free, had felt the bitter curse of belonging to an enslaved race. Some of them were full-blooded Africans; in others were mingled the blood of France, of Spain, of England and of Italy. The physical beauty of many of these men of mixed blood is great. Their features are classic; their eyes eloquent; their forms faultless. When they speak, their voice melodious but sonorous, charms the ear. On Saturday, during a debate upon the platform of resolutions, a man arose to speak, who at once attracted my attention. I have never seen a more perfect specimen of manly beauty. His complexion was very pale; his features delicate; around his thin white lips played a smile of winning sweetness. He spoke in advocacy of a certain resolution pledging the party to support no man for office who would recognize in the distribution of his official patronage any distinctions of race or color. Hitherto all the speakers in favor of this resolution had been black men. I was anxious to hear what this white radical would say in its support. The white speakers who had preceded him had argued that if the party were pledged to give half of its offices to colored men, it would have a tendency to perpetuate the very distinctions that the party was most anxious to obliterate, and keep up the partition walls between the blacks and whites, that they were most anxious to pull down. "No man can be more anxious than I am," said this speaker, "to see the word 'colored' stricken out from every political platform. But, in justice to my race, I must insist on retaining it in this platform until the day arrives when it may be erased with safety. *I, too, am a negro!* and I know all the bitterness that is conveyed in that word. And until the day comes when the white race has been educated up to the full practice of what they now profess, some of them, no doubt, honestly enough, we must guard our dearly-bought rights by compelling the party with which we affiliate, and which we will elevate to power by our votes, to guarantee to us our full share of power."

In striking contrast to this speaker, whose dress, manner and diction proclaimed him to be a gentleman, educated, refined and cultivated, was the appearance of one who followed him. He was an African of the purest race; black as night and rugged as an oak. As I afterward learned, he was a laborer on the levee—a man who worked all day in the burning sun of this almost intolerable climate, and pored over a newspaper and a dictionary at night. His voice rang out through the crowded hall like a trumpet. At the end of each sentence he paused, as if mentally debating with himself which of the ideas that were thronging in his brain should have utterance first. It should be remembered that the Convention was sitting in the hall of the Mechanics' Institute, the scene of the bloody tragedy of the 30th of July. Around the walls were still to be seen the marks made by the bullets of the assassin police; all over the floor were dark stains, made by the blood of the patriots who were slaughtered there. Said this rude and unlettered man: "This plank is the heart, and soul, and life of our platform. We must not deceive ourselves. We do not know that we can trust you; we do know that we can trust ourselves. I do not doubt the honesty of our white Republican friends; I would trust them with my money; I would trust them with my life; but I cannot trust them, nor any other set of men, with my freedom. That we must guard for ourselves. Some white men came to me the other day. They belong to the Andrew Johnson Reconstruction party. They assured me they were my friends—they were the friends of my race—they would guarantee to us all our rights. I looked at them—I knew them—they belonged to that set of cut-throats that burst into this hall and slew my brethren here. Here is their blood. I stand on the boards that are yet red with it. I said to them: 'Away! Your hands are red with innocent blood, and your souls are black with murder!' I could not trust these men with my rights; I can trust no man with them. I must guard them for myself."

The effect of speeches like these was seen when, after a debate of more than an hour, the ayes and noes were taken on the resolution in question, and but three votes were given against it.

Mount Union College Commencement.

The commencement exercises at Mt. Union College, near Alliance, O., closed last week, and were highly successful and largely attended. On all hands praise was awarded to the fairness and thoroughness of the examination, of the classes, the appropriateness and efficiency of the Baccalaureate sermon on Sabbath by Rev. John Tonner, A. M., of Canton, of the annual address on last Wednesday evening by Hon. Anson Smyth, A. M., of Cleveland, O., and of the Baccalaureate address, to the Graduating Class, on last Thursday by Rev. O. N. Hartshorn, LL. D., the efficient President of this rising College. The choice vocal music by the choirs of the Republican and Linnæan Literary Societies, and the beautiful selections so skillfully executed on the piano by the members of the instrumental music class, instructed by Prof. Leland, the original and well delivered addresses of the senior class, and the animated contest performances of the literary societies, were each of a very high order, and were also received by the vast multitude in attendance with marked expressions of commendation.

By vote of the Faculty and Trustees of the College, the President, immediately after his baccalaureate address to the senior class, publicly conferred, *in cursu*, the bachelor's degree upon A. Y. Eaton, East Palestine, O.; L. B. Eberly, Smithville, O.; S. Lane, Jones's Mills, Pa.; E. B. Webster, Franklin, West Va.; J. L. Webster, Jewet, O.; P. Wickersham, Green Hill, O.; H. M. Baird, Salem, O.; H. C. Brainerd, Randolph, O.; J. J. B. Hamilton, Smithfield, O.; C. Heacock, Beloit, O.; G. D. Hill, Port Washington, O.; L. M. Jones, Damascoville, O.; E. M. Kanage, Frees's Store, O.; Anna R. Phillips, Brownsville, Pa.; Angeline Yost, Clarington, O. The Master's Degree, *in cursu*, upon N. Anthony, Salineville, O.; S. Burt, Pittsburgh, Pa.; F. D. Fast, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Ella Blanchare, New Franklin, O.; J. B. York, Randolph, O. The Master's Degree, *in honore*, upon the Rev. John Tonner, Canton, O. The Degree of Doctor of Divinity upon Rev. H. Miller, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Rev. John Williams, Rochester, Pa.

The fall term of the College will commence on the second Tuesday of August.

Petroleum as a Substitute for Coal.

The Boston correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* gives the facts connected with the recent experiment on board the Government steamer Palos, and adds the following: "Whether the smell of the petroleum—which is supplied from tanks on deck—is likely to make the invention a nuisance in the estimation of fastidious passengers, is not stated, but undoubtedly some means will be made to obviate this possible difficulty. It will easily be seen that the novelty thus first tested here is destined to work an important revolution, not only in steamship navigation, but also in railroads and in many branches of industry, besides possibly lowering the price of coal for those domestic consumers who feel exorbitant rates most keenly; and in fact it is not easy for the imagination to set bounds to the consequences of the innovation. The apparatus by which the petroleum is burned is simple enough, but it would seem elaborate in description, and I shall not attempt to explain it. The inventor is Colonel Henry B. Foote, of Tennessee, who is here superintending the experiments, not yet completed, by which the character and usefulness of his method are to be fully tested and brought before the public."

GEN. MEADE ON THE ARMY.—In a short speech delivered at the *Ledger* banquet in Philadelphia, Gen. Meade paid the following just tribute to his brethren in arms now carrying out the Reconstruction measures passed by Congress over the President's veto:

It shows that the army represents the sentiments of the people, and the readiness with which the army always has done and is willing to do duty for the cause is simply because the army is the exponent of the will of the people; and he thought that he could point with pride and gratitude to the army, entrusted with the most delicate duty ever committed to any army—the reunion and reknitting of the sections of the country—to the judgment and moderation with which that duty was performed. We know that there is no danger of any Pretorian band usurping the liberties of our country, or any danger threatening the preservation of the Government, because the army is the people of the United States, and the Government of the nation is their Government.

THE COTTON CROP.—Our reports from all the cotton growing States are of a most encouraging character. Though the planters have devoted more ground than usual to wheat, oats and other cereals, a wide area of land has been planted with cotton, and the crop is everywhere in a flourishing condition. Especially is this true of Georgia. A gentleman who has recently returned from an extensive tour through that State informs us that he saw on every hand luxuriant fields of cotton, whose appearance gladdened the hearts of the people, and filled them with hope for the future. Some Georgia planters are confident that the yield will be larger than at any time within the past ten years, if the season continues to be auspicious.

A PRISONER confined in the Schuylkill county jail, recently released on *habeas corpus*, complains that he was refused permission to read a Republican paper, the jailor insisting that he should only read the Philadelphia *Age* and similar Copperhead sheets. When released, the jailor presented him with a board bill for $72, which he was compelled to pay in order to obtain his liberty. The jailor, who is a Copperhead, was compelled to disgorge the $72, however, as it is an unusual thing to charge a prisoner awaiting trial for his boarding.

GETTYSBURG MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION.—The Gettysburg Battlefield Memorial Association held its annual election on Monday, when the following officers and directors were elected:

President—Hon. Joseph R. Ingersoll.

Directors—Henry C. Carey, Edmund A. Souder, of Philadelphia; Wm. M. Hersh, David A. Stewart, of Pittsburgh; O. A. Heister, of Harrisburg; H. N. McAllister, of Bellefonte, D. McConaughey, H. L. Baugher, J. B. Danner, R. G. McCreery, George Arnold, A. D. Bulkley and Charles Horner.

Treasurer—George Arnold.

Secretary—D. McConaughy.

THE parties interested in the new co-operative foundry enterprise held a meeting at the Molders' Hall, in Troy, on Friday evening, and elected a Board of Directors. The Viel Foundry, at Fort Schuyler, has been purchased, and at an early day the Association will commence operations on a capital of $40,000.

Mr. Lord, upon whose property the famous Lord-bond robbery was committed, on Monday received from an unknown source one million two hundred thousand dollars worth of bonds stolen from him. This leaves a deficit of only ninety thousand still missing.

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HENRY LAMBERT, Controller.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.
The undersigned, Assignee of JAMES R. LINDSAY, will sell at public auction, on
MONDAY, THE 8TH DAY OF JULY, 1867,
At 10 o'clock A. M., at the Warehouse, No. 118 FIRST STREET, Pittsburgh, the following personal property:
The stock of goods in said Warehouse, consisting of Blacksmith's Tools, Picks, Mattocks, Hatchets, Grub Hoes, Crow Bars, &c.
And will also sell at public sale, on the premises, in Allegheny city, at No. 177 JACKSON STREET, on the day aforesaid, at 2 o'clock P. M., the stock of Iron and Steel, and a large quantity of partially manufactured goods, to wit: Blacksmith's Tools, Hatchets, Grub Hoes, &c. &c. Also, one Horse, Harness, and two Wagons, and the goods and materials generally of said James R. Lindsay, in and about the Bellows Factory and Forge, at Jackson street aforesaid, together with the Bellows Factory and Forge, and the Machinery and Fixtures contained therein, Dry Kiln, Stable and Real Estate, being a lot of ground about 78 feet front on Jackson street, and extending back 180 feet to Ledlie street, preserving the width of 78 feet for a distance of 90 feet back, and a width of 38 feet the residue of the distance to Ledlie street. Terms at sale.
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Through the gorges dim and narrow,
Dancing to its own glad tinkle,
Where, in many a curl and crinkle,
Rock-imprisoned eddies twinkle,
Mid white water-lilies sleeping,
Stealthily through thickets creeping—
Many-voiced the brooklet ever,
Wanders onward toward the river.

Musical the infant whisper
Of the little hill-born lisper,
Where on fairy shoon of glass
Timidly it treads the grass,
Musical the tones, though firmer,
Of its dove-like woodland murmur;
Glad its shout and soul-exalting
When o'er rocky barriers vaulting,
Sweet and soft its liquid gushes,
As it dallies with the rushes—
Thus a living song forever
Flows the brooklet towards the river.

Blest the life that sweeps along
Brook-like, with a pleasant song—
Gliding through the fields of youth,
Beautiful with Love and Truth,
Striking out, in manhood's prime,
Sparkles from the rocks of time,
Making through the shades of age
Calm and solemn pilgrimage;
And at last, its journey done,
Through the shadow and the sun,
Fearfully, without a quiver,
Melting in the silent river.

Low-Neck Dresses----Chicory Complexions.

A correspondent gossips about the *low* dresses worn in Paris, and tells what is new in complexions, saying, the dresses have been getting more and more *decollete*, until, at last, many of the leaders of fashion appear without any bodice at all, merely adopting a broad band like that worn by infants of tender years, by which everything is displayed in front and nothing concealed behind. At the ball of the Minister of Agriculture there was a certain *salon reservé* wherein were seated about sixty ladies, all of the highest *ton* and reputation, who, being thus viewed together, produced the effect of a match upon the deadened, burned-up brains of the fashionable *petits creves* who were admitted to their company, and straightway they took fire like tinder, and out flew sparks of wit and satire of which no one would have deemed them capable. The caricature which has been passing from hand to hand during the week of the principal figures in this *salon* has caused the greatest *emoi* among the ladies assembled there. One lady, with no sleeves, and only the narrowest gold cord, with the tassel falling over her arm by way of shoulderstrap, is represented at the very moment when, this frail stay having given way, she remains confounded. As the incident really happened, and the lady is well known in circles of fashionable folly, it was expected that her husband would have taken the matter *au serieux*; but the surprise was great when he vowed himself not only indifferent to the publicity given to his wife's ridiculous exaggeration, but was actually well pleased at the chastisement inflicted. "What said Prince Oscar, of Sweden?" asked a gentleman who saw the prince issuing from this *salon*. "He was literally struck dumb, for he retired without uttering a word, and when asked why he left thus abruptly, merely replied that he felt he had no right to be there at all." Another subject of wonder among strangers is the change which has come over the complexions of our female population. But a short time ago they were all blonde, golden, auburn; now they are all brunettes of the deepest tint, almost Moorish. The change has been produced by chiccory juice which is being sold in immense quantities for the purpose, and every woman in Paris looks as if she escaped from the zenana of some Hindoo Rajah to disguise herself in the masquerade costume of her European sisters. The poet's dreary talk about lilies and roses is gone; for a long time hence the polyanthus and the marigold will be the favorite mixture.

African Fashions in Hair.

On my arrival at Igoumbie I had noticed how curious the head-dresses of the women were, being so unlike the fashions I had seen among any of the tribes I had visited. Although these modes are sometimes very grotesque, they are not devoid of what English ladies, with their present fashions, might consider good taste; in short, they cultivate a remarkable sort of chignons. I have remarked three different ways of hair-dressing prevalent among the Ishogo belles. The first is to train the hair into a tower-shaped mass, elevated from eight to ten inches from the crown of the head; the hair, from the forehead to the base of the tower, and also that of the back part up to the ears, being closely shaved off. In order to give shape to the tower, they make a frame-work, generally out of old pieces of grass cloth, and fix the hair round it. All the chignons are worked up on a frame. Another mode is to wear the tower, with two round balls in the hair, one on each side, above the ear. A third fashion is similar to the first, but the tower, instead of being perpendicular to the crown, inclined obliquely from the back of the head, and from the front of the head is clean shaven almost to the middle. The neck is also shorn closely up to the ears. The hair on these towers has a parting in the middle and on the sides which is very neatly done. The whole structure must require years of careful training before it reaches the perfection attained by the leaders of Ishogo fashion. A really good chignon is not attained until the owner is about twenty or twenty-five years of age. It is the chief object of ambition with the young Ishogo women to possess a good, well-lined and well-greased cover for the hair of the kind that I describe. Some women are far better dressers of the hair than others, and are much sought for—the fixing and cleaning of a hair requiring a long day's work. The woman who desires to have her hair dressed must pay the hair-dresser or must promise to perform the same kind office to her neighbor in return. Once fixed, these chignons remain for a couple of months without requiring to be re-arranged, and the mass of insect life that accumulates in them during that period is truly astonishing.—*Du Chaillu.*

A Touching Picture.

Near the Musical Instrument Department of the Paris Exhibition, a group of three persons is frequently seen. A gentleman, though tall and young, leans on the arm of a lady. He wears colored spectacles, not to enable him to see, but to hide his eyes—for he is blind. His wife is deaf and dumb. The correspondent from whose letter these facts are gathered continues:

The blind man could not see; his wife could speak, but she could not tell him what she saw. Not being able to express herself only by signs, his want of eyes was as fatal as her want of voice. How, then, render a visit to the Exhibition useful or pleasant, under such deplorable circumstances? Nothing more simple: the lady telegraphs to her daughter what to say, and the latter explains everything to her father with amazing quickness and volubility. The chain of communication is complete in a moment. But the mind troubles itself with another difficulty. Before the clever and amiable little girl had existence, how did the gentleman who was blind since his sixteenth year, and the lady, who was born deaf and dumb, express their attachment? The lady could not hear the declarations of her lover; the latter could not see the blushes and mute signs by which alone she could make known that she accepted them. And yet they married. What a mystery of love! When the wife has pointed out to the little girl different objects which she desires to have described to her husband, she goes and sits down near the piano, and remains patiently while he enjoys the airs that are played by others, artists of skill and reputation; and thus she provides him with one of the greatest treats of the Exhibition, though, of course she can have herself no idea whatever of its nature.

Condensed Milk.

We learn from the Chicago *Republican* that the Elgin Milk Condensing Company is buying about fifteen hundred gallons per day, for which ten cents per gallon is paid, and which is condensed, preserved, and manufactured into cheese and butter according to the demands of the market. A few days since, this Company received an order from the United States Government for two thousand dozen cans of preserved milk for army use on the Plains. This is condensed and sugared milk put up in pint cans, soldered tight, and in which it will keep perfectly any length of time in any climate. Large quantities of condensed cream are sent to this city to supply our ice cream saloons. Cheese for Southern and Northern markets are made here from the milk received that is not required in condensed form by the demands of the market. Nothing is lost. If cream changes before condensing, or if there is no other use for it, a power churn converts it into butter of excellent and uniform quality, which, made with all the appliances of the best butter dairies of the East, sells several cents per pound higher in market than the average grades of western butter.

SHORTLY before his death, Thackeray amused a party of literary friends by recalling some of the early trials arising from his brief connection with a daily paper, on which he was engaged as literary reviewer. One of the first works submitted to the writer was Roscoe's "Life and Works of Henry Fielding," an author of whose productions, with the single exception of "Tom Jones," he was at that time totally ignorant. Unwilling to acknowledge his unfitness for the task, the future novelist set to work, and after conscientiously reading every line of Roscoe's bulky volume, sent in a review which he eventually received a payment that was poor remuneration for the ten days of preliminary study which he went through ere he took pen in hand. Still suffering from the exhaustion consequent on his ill-paid service, he was required to perform a still more Herculean labor. On returning to his chamber one afternoon's walk, he found piled high upon his table, and cumbering all his room, the massive furniture, the entire series of volumes forming the new edition of the Encyclopædia Britannica. On his desk lay a note from his editor, requesting him forthwith to review the terrifying array of closely-printed quartos. At this point of his story the narrator was interrupted with an inquiry, "What did you do with them?" "The only thing that an honest journalist could do under the circumstances," was the answer: "I packed the books into a cab, and sent them straight back to Printing House Square."

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NOTICES.

BRIDGE ELECTION—THE Stockholders of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Bridge Co., (at Hand street,) are hereby notified that an election for President, Directors and Treasurer, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the Toll House, (North end,) on MONDAY, July 1st, 1867, from 10 A. M. until 2 P. M. F. S. BISSELL, Secretary.

INLOT HOLDERS OF ALLEGHENY.—Notice is hereby given to inlot holders of Allegheny City, having rights of Commonage in the Common Grounds, to file their claims, if any they have, for damages which they may seem likely to sustain by the divesting of their said right of Commonage, by the appropriation and prospective use of said Common Grounds for Public Parks, within three weeks after the 9TH DAY OF JULY, 1867, with the Clerk of the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county; otherwise their rights of Common, as aforesaid, will be held to be released.

ALEXANDER GORDON,
D. A. STEWART,
RICHARD HAYS,
Viewers.

OFFICE OF THE A. V. R. R. COMPANY, PITTSBURGH, January 1, 1867.

NOTICE TO HOLDERS OF FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY.—The Allegheny Valley Railroad Company hereby give notice that they will redeem the FIRST MORTGAGE BONDS of the Company within two years from this date, in accordance with the provisions of the mortgage given to secure the payment of the said bonds. By order of the Board of Managers. WILLIAM PHILLIPS, President.

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CARRIAGE MANUFACTURERS, have removed to their New Factory,

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BUSINESS CHANCES.

THE FIRM OF

S. M. KERR & CO.,

No. 7 ST. CLAIR ST., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Creditors will present their claims and debtors make payment at No. 45 WOOD STREET. S. M. KERR, McABOY, SPANG & CO.

May 23, 1867.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—The partnership lately subsisting between J. J. Adair, C. M. Miller and Guy S. Frazey, under the firm name of Adair, Miller & Frazey, is this day dissolved by the retirement of J. J. ADAIR. The business will be continued under the firm of MILLER & FRAZEY, who will settle all debts due to and by the late firm. C. M. MILLER, GUY L. FRAZEY.

Pittsburgh, May 28, 1867.

DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP—The copartnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of FOERSTER & SCHWARZ, was dissolved by mutual consent on the first day of February, 1867, the entire interest of C. F. Schwarz having been purchased by Edward Foerster, who will continue the Wall Paper and Fancy Goods business at the same stand, No. 164 Smithfield street. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by the said Edward Foerster, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment. EDWARD FOERSTER, C. F. SCHWARZ.

HAVING SOLD MY ENTIRE INTEREST in the Wall Paper and Fancy Goods business to EDWARD FOERSTER, who will continue the business at the old stand, I would cheerfully recommend him to our former patrons and the public generally. C. F. SCHWARZ.

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29 prizes of	1,000	are	29,000
63 prizes of	400	are	25,200
155 prizes of	200	are	31,000
220 prizes of	125	are	27,500
9 prizes of	300	are	2,700
9 prizes of	250	are	2,250
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Arrive.		Depart.	
Mail Train	1:20 a m	Day Express	3:00 a m
Fast Line	1:50 a m	Wall's No. 1	6:30 a m
Wall's No. 1	6:20 a m	Mail Train	8:20 a m
Brinton No. 2	7:50 a m	Wall's No. 2	9:50 a m
Wall's No. 2	8:50 a m	CincinnatiEx	11:15 a m
Cincinnati Exp	9:10 a m	Wall's No. 3	11:30 a m
Johnstown ac	10:10 a m	Johnstown Ac	2:50 p m
Phila. Express	1:50 p m	Wall's No. 4	3:30 p m
Wall's No. 3	1:30 p m	Phil. Express	4:10 p m
Wall's No. 4	2:50 p m	Wall's No. 5	4:50 p m
Wall's No. 5	5:50 p m	Wall's No. 6	6:05 p m
Wall's No. 6	7:00 p m	Fast Line	10:20 p m
Altoona Ac. and Emig't train	10:35 p m	Wall's No. 7	10:50 p m

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Arrive.		Depart.	
Sharpsbg No 1.	6:25 a m	Mail	6:50 a m
Freeport No 1.	8:15 a m	Freeport No 1.	9:05 a m
Express	10:10 a m	Sharpsbg No 1.	11:20 a m
Sharpsbg No 2.	1:25 p m	Express	2:00 p m
Freeport No 2.	4:25 p m	Harmersville	3:50 p m
Mail	6:05 p m	Freeport No 2.	6:05 p m
Harmersville	7:10 p m	Sharpbg No 2.	7:30 p m

Above trains run daily except Sunday.

The Church Train leaves Allegheny Junction every Sunday at 7:40 a. m., reaching Allegheny City at 9:50 a. m. Returning leaves Allegheny City at 1:20 p. m., and arrives at Allegheny Junction at 3:45 p. m.

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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Chicago Exp.	2:00 a m	Chicago Ex.	4:30 a m
Cleveland Ex.	2:00 a m	Cleveland Ex	2:30 a m
Erie & Ygn Ex	6:00 a m	Chicago Ex.	10:45 a m
Cl. & Whg M'l.	6:15 a m	Wheeling Ex	10:25 a m
Chicago Mail	6:45 a m	Chicago Ex	3:40 p m
Chicago Ex.	9:30 a m	Cl. & Whg. Ex.	3:50 p m
Cl. & Whg. Ex.	2:00 p m	Erie & Ygn. Ex.	6:45 p m
Chicago Ex.	2:15 p m	Chicago Ex	9:50 p m
Wheeling Ex.	4:35 p m	Cl. & Whg Ex	9:30 p m
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
N. Br't'n Acc.	8:45 a m	N. Brt'Acc.	6:50 a m
Leetsdale Acc.	10:00 a m	N. Br't'n Acc.	8:35 a m
Leetsdale Acc.	11:40 a m	Wellsville Ac	9:10 a m
Rochester Ac.	1:20 p m	N. Castle Acc.	10:00 a m
Wells' & N C Ac	3:30 p m	Leetsdale Acc.	11:05 a m
Leetsdale Acc.	4:50 p m	Leetsdale Acc.	1:05 p m
N. Brt'n Acc.	5:20 p m	N. Brt'n Acc.	2:30 p m
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	Depart.	Arrive.
Fast Line	9:45 a m	10:05 p m
Walkers Accom	11:00 a m	3:45 p m
Express	2:20 p m	10:50 a m
Mail	2:05 a m	9:45 p m
Mixed	6:10 a m	6:55 p m
Steubenville Accom'n.	3:25 p m	10:05 a m
McDonald's Accom'n.	5:05 p m	8:40 a m

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	Leave Pitts'gh.	Arrive.
First Kiskiminetas	6:30 a m	11:50 a m
Mail (to & from Mahoning)	7:20 a m	7:30 p m
First Soda Works Accom.	9:05 a m	6:30 p m
Second Kiskiminetas Ac.	12:30 p m	6:30 p m
Express	3:15 p m	10:45 a m
Second Soda Works Ac.	5:30 p m	8:25 p m
Sunday Church Train from and to Soda Works	1:00 p m	8:30 a m

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On and after THURSDAY, March 15th, 1866, the trains will leave the Depot, corner of Ross and Water streets, as follows:

	Leaves Pittsburgh.	Arrives Pittsburgh
Mail to and from Uniontown.	7:00 a m	6:00 p m
Express " "	3:00 p m	10:00 a m
West Newton Accom.	6:15 p m	8:30 a m
First McKeesport Accom.	11:00 a m	6:50 a m
Second " "	10:00 p m	2:05 p m
Braddock's " "	4:10 p m	5:45 p m
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CITY MATTERS.

CHANGE OF CARRIERS.—Mr. R. M. Westervelt is the carrier of the COMMERCIAL in the Fifth and Ninth wards and Lawrenceville, and is authorized to make collections from June 17th. Subscribers in these districts who should not be promptly served, will please leave their names at the office of publication, 76 Fifth street, and Mr. Westervelt will see that future complaint will be unnessary.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

COURT OF QUARTER SESSIONS.—Before Judge Mellon.

NOT GUILTY.

The case of J. P. Israel, indicted for the larceny of a large iron kettle from Wm. H. Mackey, of the First Ward, Allegheny, was resumed yesterday morning. The jury retired about ten o'clock, and after a short absence returned a verdict of not guilty.

LARCENY OF AN OVERCOAT.

Charles Hartman was arraigned for the larceny of an overcoat, valued at twenty dollars, and a pair of gloves worth two dollars, from the residence of Mr. Robert Duff, of Lawrenceville, on the 24th of May last. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty, when the Court sentenced the defendant to pay a fine of six cents, the costs of prosecution, and to undergo an imprisonment of two months in the county jail.

JEVENILE THIEF.

Two lads named George Rowan and Charles Davis, were jointly indicted with other parties not yet arrested, for the larceny of forty dollars from the store of Wm. Kirk, on Ohio street, Allegheny. The jury acquitted Rowan, but found a verdict of guilty against Davis, with a recommendation to the mercy of the Court. Davis was then sentenced to the House of Refuge, and Rowan discharged from custody.

ROBBING A DRUNKEN MAN.

Patrick Barrows was tried for the larceny of a watch and chain, pocketbook and other valuables from Wm. Daisy. On the night of the 27th of April last, the defendant met Daisy, who was under the influence of liquor, walking along Liberty street, and enticed him to the rear of the grain elevator, where the alleged robbery was committed. A special policeman happening to notice the transaction, arrested Barrows and took him to the Mayor's office, and upon being searched the stolen money was found in his possession. For the defence it was alleged that Barrows took possession of Daisy's valuables to insure their safety, and intended to return them to him the next day. The jury, however, apparently thought otherwise, as they rendered a verdict of guilty. The defendant was then remanded for sentence.

ILLEGAL LIQUOR SELLING.

Amelia A. Roberts, a colored woman, residing in Lawrenceville, was tried on an indictment for selling liquor on Sunday. The jury rendered a verdict of not guilty, but ordered the defendant to pay the costs.

ASSAULT AND BATTERY.

Wm. Graff was found guilty on a charge of assault and battery, preferred by Lewis C. Hughes, and was sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five dollars and costs.

LARCENY OF A WATCH.

Isaac Wheeler was arraigned on an indictment for the larceny of a watch from a passenger on board the steamer Gallatin, during one of the trips of that steamer from Brownsville to this city. The jury rendered a verdict of guilty, when the defendant was sentenced to undergo an imprisonment in the Western Penitentiary of one year and four months.

AN UNLOVING HUSBAND.

Wm. Byerly was tried for surety of the peace, on an information made by his wife, Martha Byerly. A verdict of guilty was rendered, when the Court directed the defendant to pay the costs of prosecution and enter into bonds in the sum of five hundred dollars to keep the peace towards the prosecutrix for one year. Byerly was also tried on a charge of desertion, preferred by his wife, and was ordered to give bail for the payment of three dollars per week.

Edward McCann was placed on trial to answer a charge of assault and battery, preferred by John McDowell. The alleged assault took place on Wylie street, in April last. The case had not been concluded at adjournment.

WESTERN UNIVERSITY.

Class Day Exercises---Presentation of the Wooden Spoon---The Commencement Friday.

CLASS DAY EXERCISES.

The class of '67 have inaugurated among us this usage, now obtaining so generally in American colleges. They met their friends and fellow students yesterday afternoon at University Hall, and entertained them pleasantly with eloquence, wit, humor and music. For the latter they were under obligations to Professors Eckhart and Leonhart, who exhibited their complete mastery of the piano.

Mr. C. C. Montooth, prospectively of the Pittsburgh bar, in a few graceful words, introduced the orator of the day, Mr. John C. Newmyer, of the same learned profession, whose address on achieving the mastery was most appreciatingly listened to. Mr. Cyrus B. Hatch followed with a poem upon college scenes; Mr. J. O. Petty in a most veracious history of the class of '67, whilst Mr. E. D. Graff read from the scroll of prophecy several yards of good, bad and very funny things, set down by the fates for the boys of '67. The afternoon programme was concluded by the presentation, on behalf of the class and by Jas. W. Murray, Esq., of a wooden spoon of admirable workmanship, to the most popular man in the class. No one disputed the justice of the selection that was made of the gentleman to carry off this affecting token of regard. His feelings proved beyond the compass of language, and the assembly were disappointed of the expected speech.

In the evening the club met for a farewell supper at the Merchant's Hotel, where, we understand, they had a good time and plenty of it, breaking up in season to say good morning to early risers.

We present below the ode written for class supper, and sung at the breaking up of the feast:

ODE.

BY CYRUS B. HATCH.

Tune—"Home, Sweet Home."

Though sad is the hour when companions must part,
And painful the sev'rance when heart-cords entwine;
Yet hope checks the tears that are ready to start,
And pledges remembrance of "days of lang syne."

Fare thee well, farewell,
Farewell, Alma Mater,
All blessings be thine.

We *leave* half our hearts when we turn from thy halls,
We *carry* thine image in love's closest shrine;
We hear from without duty's soul-stirring calls,
We go, but in going cease not to be thine.

We're advancing to trials and conflicts severe,
And the ceaseless vexation of life's busy day,
But the counsels of friends we shall ever revere,
And, with deepest gratitude, strive to obey.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES.

The commencement exercises will take place to-morrow evening, at 7½ o'clock, in the Second Presbyterian Church, Penn street. A procession, under the marshalship of Major General Negley, preceded by the Great Western Brass Band, will form at the University at 7¼ o'clock, and march to the church. The alumni, trustees and students of the University; graduates of other colleges, members of the liberal professions, officers of city and State governments, and citizens generally are respectfully invited to join the procession.

THE ALUMNI MEETING.

The Alumni Association of the University will hold their annual meeting and reunion in the University building this evening. The exercises will be of a very entertaining character. Rev. Herrick Johnson will be the orator of the evening, and Mr. George I. Whitney, the poet.

A MODEST REQUEST.—Mayor McCarthy received a letter a few days since from a resident of Stevenson, Alabama, in which the writer states that he has learned that His Honor is giving the poor people money, and would be very glad if several hundred dollars were forwarded by express to his address, as he has not got a cent in the world. The writer adds that he has always been a Union man, and although he works very hard every day never receives any money at all. Pittsburgh apparently has a good reputation at Stevenson for liberality, but it is probable that in this case the Mayor will permit it to suffer, he not being the custodian of the Southern Relief Fund. Any person being desirous of preserving the reputation of the city can obtain the name of the writer by calling upon the Mayor.

HOTEL IMPROVEMENTS.—The splendid and commodious dining room of the Union Depot Hotel, has just been improved. The ceiling has received a thorough renovation and looks like new. The gas chandeliers, which are bronze, and of a beautiful pattern, have been carefully cleaned, and other prominent objects attended to in like manner. It is now determined upon to extend this hotel out over the open area of the depot to accommodate the increased demand of the traveling public. This will enable the Union Depot Hotel to compete with any other house in the city. Captain Marker, the genial and whole-souled Superintendent has made this house one of the most popular in the country. Long may he wave!

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING.—Yesterday afternoon a lad named James Reed, aged nine years, while playing on the steamer Ida Rees, which was moored at the Allegheny wharf, above the Suspension Bridge, accidentally fell off the wheel house into the river. The cries of his companions for assistance attracted the attention of Henry M. Long, Esq., oil merchant, who hurried to the river, plunged in and rescued the little fellow from his perilous position.

HIGHWAY ROBBERY.—A young man named J. K. Hurtz, residing in Sharpsburg, while passing along the road, a short distance beyond the Allegheny Cemetery, in Collins township, on Monday night, was attacked by three ruffians, who robbed him of his pocket-book containing thirty-seven dollars in money and a promissory note for thirty dollars. The villains then decamped.

HYGEIA.—The members of the Hygeia Base Ball Club are requested to attend a meeting of the club, at the office of McMasters, Gazzam & Co., on Grant street, this afternoon at four o'clock.

THE AQUATIC CHAMPIONSHIP.

Letter from Hamill---Proposition to Row Brown or Mekeel for $2,000 a Side---Brown's Backers in This City Inquired For.

The New York *Clipper* for the present week, in alluding to the late sculling race between Hamill and Brown, says:

Walter Brown having refused to uphold his title to the championship of American waters by declining to row, that title is now an open question. Hamill's offer, fair and honorable as any unprejudiced man could desire, has been allowed to pass unanswered, or answered in such a way that leaves no hopes of acceptance. Mekeel, who was very warm for a match with either Hamill or Brown, drew his money at the time he said he would, and now, with the expected brilliant prospect for a series of contests for the single scull championship in store, we fear that no match with that object in view will transpire this summer.

LETTER FROM HAMILL.

The *Clipper* also publishes the following communication from Hamill, offering to row either Brown or Mekeel on the Schuylkill, at Philadelphia, for two thousand dollars a side:

PITTSBURGH, June 21st, 1867.

FRIEND QUEEN: Your last week's edition brought no response from the would be champion, Walter Brown, to my challenge. It seems to take considerable time for him to get an interview with his backers in the East. I think he should have applied to those gentlemen in Pittsburgh who robbed my backers and myself out of the purse and outside bets we were justly entitled to, had it not been for the decision of Mr. Caughey, the referee—a decision that was neither in accordance with the rules of boat racing nor with rules of evidence governing any question of dispute. All those who pocketed the proceeds of that decision have a good opportunity to prove that they considered that decision just by putting up their money and backing Brown to beat me a fair and square race of five miles. Should they refuse to back Brown after all their talk, the public will have their own opinion of the manner by which they pocketed their winnings. To give them a chance to redeem themselves in public estimation, I will row Walter Brown a five mile race over the Schuylkill course, at Philadelphia, for two thousand dollars a side, in one month from signing articles, each man to pay his own expenses, the race to be fair and square, the judges and referee to decide according to rules and articles. As Brown has not replied to either Mr. Mekeel or myself, and as the latter gentleman included me in his challenge, should he still desire a race with me, I will row him a five mile race over the Schuylkill course, at Philadelphia, for one thousand dollars a side, each party to pay their own expenses—the race to be fair and square, and to come off in the same week as the Brown race, should Brown accept my terms. Should Brown not accept, I will row Mr. Mekeel on the terms mentioned above in one month after signing articles. I would prefer that Brown would accept, as I wish to have a fair chance before the public of deciding who is the best oarsman. I ask no favors. All I want is fair play. To show that I mean business, I will send you, next week, a forfeit for each of the above races.

JAMES HAMILL.

County Agricultural Society—The State Fair.

The Allegheny County Agricultural Society held their regular monthly meeting yesterday morning at eleven o'clock, at the office of Messrs. Phelps, Parke & Co., on St. Clair street. The members present were Messrs. G. G. Negley, Guy, Matthews, Morton, McKelvy, Verner, Young and Parke. In the absence of the President, Judge Parke acted *pro tem*, and Wm. Anderson officiated as Secretary.

On motion of Captain Young, the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

Judge Parke, from the Committee on State Fair, made a report, exhibiting very favorable progress in the obtaining of subscriptions from our citizens, in aid of the bonus fund to the State Fair, for holding the next annual exhibition in this city. The report was accepted and the committee continued.

The President also read correspondence with A Boyd Hamilton, Esq., President of the State Agricultural Society, relative to the preliminaries for holding the next annual exhibition here. The negotiations having been closed for the holding of the Fair at this city, in September next, it only now remains for this Society to place the buildings and grounds in complete order, and to do everything in their power to make the exhibition a grand success.

On motion of Captain Young, a list of names was ordered to be forwarded to Mr. Hamilton, from which to make selections for the appointment of the committees for the State Exhibition.

On motion of the same gentleman, Messrs. Parke and Verner were appointed a committee to superintend the repair of the race course on the Fair Ground, and see that it is placed in good condition.

Mr. McKelvy, from the committee appointed to obtain statistics on the subject of abortion in cows, reported progress and asked for further time. The report was accepted and the committee continued.

There being no further business before the meeting, the Society adjourned.

Daring Burglary on Liberty Street.

The jewelry stores of Allegheny and Pittsburgh are now receiving special attention at the hands of robbers and burglars. During Tuesday night the store of J. W. Simonton, No. 328½ Liberty street, between Smithfield and Grant, was burglariously entered and a large amount of goods carried off. The front door was secured by a padlock and a bolt on the inside. The padlock was broken and the door forced open by means of a crow bar or some such implement. The show cases were smashed and a variety of jewelry taken from each, making altogether a very fine selection. The robbery is supposed to have been committed about two o'clock yesterday morning, but there is no clue whatever to the parties concerned in it. The goods taken consisted of watches, chains, rings, knives and a fine lot of revolvers. Mr. Simonton estimates his loss as exceeding one thousand dollars.

ACCIDENT AT PENN STATION.—Mr. Robert McCaleb met with a serious accident on Tuesday, at Penn Station, on the Pennsylvania Railroad. He was in the employ of Mr. Geo. Bertner, contractor, in erecting a trestle work connected with the coal works at the Station, and while at work fell from the trestle to the ground, a considerable distance, fracturing the back part of his skull, and dislocating his right hip. He was brought to this city and taken to the Mercy Hospital, in the Eighth ward, where he now lies. His injuries are of a serious character, and may probably result fatally.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Officer James Irwin, of the Mayor's special police force, was very seriously injured on Monday last. It appears he was running after some boys who were bathing in the Allegheny river, near the Hand street bridge, and in jumping over the bank was seriously ruptured. He was taken to his home on Third street, and Dr. Rogers called in, who, after an examination, decided that a surgical operation would be necessary. On Tuesday Drs. Rogers, Dickson and Hamilton performed the operation successfully and the patient will, in all probability, recover.

YOUNG MAN DROWNED.—A young man named Thomas Cuddy was drowned in the Monongahela river, near the borough of Elizabeth, on Tuesday evening. The deceased, it appears, in company with some smaller companions, was bathing, and Cuddy attempted to swim across the river. When within about twenty or thirty feet of the opposite shore, he was seized with cramps in the arms, and before assistance could reach him he was drowned. The body was recovered about half an hour afterwards. The deceased was about nineteen years of age, and resided with his parents in Elizabeth.

STRAWBERRY EXHIBITION.—The County Horticultural Society gave a grand Strawberry Exhibition yesterday morning, at their room in the City Building, Diamond. The attendance at the exhibition was quite large, among whom were many of the fruit growers of the county. The exhibition was a very fair one, and a large variety of strawberries were shown. At eleven o'clock a discussion ensued as to the relative merits of the different varieties, and some interesting information to those engaged in the culture of strawberries, was obtained.

SENT TO THE HOUSE OF REFUGE.—A little boy named John Hilands, who is apparently demented, and who has been sleeping in the watch house for a week past, was committed to the House of Refuge yesterday by Acting Mayor Owston. Upon his arrival at the Refuge the lad begged for permission to return to his former quarters at the watch house, a proceeding which Mr. Avery did not look upon as a compliment to the excellent institution under his management.

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eod R. T. TAYLOR.

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.—At the Plymouth Congregationalist Church, on Hand street, on Thursday and Friday evenings, June 27th and 28th. Good music interspersed with the other good things.

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DIED:

LYNCH—On Wednesday morning, June 26th, Mrs. MARY, wife of James Lynch, in the 63d year of her age.

Funeral will take place FRIDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock, from her late residence, No. 3 Irwin street, to proceed to St. Mary's Cemetery.

LEE—On Tuesday, June 25, WILLIAM C. LEE, in the 39th year of his age.

Funeral from the residence of Wilson Miller, 150 Pennsylvania Avenue, THURSDAY, the 27th inst., at 2 o'clock P. M. The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

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FINANCE AND TRADE.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 26, 1867.

It was remarked in some bank circles to-day that the discount offerings were not near as large as under a more easy temper of the market. The fact is that borrowers are well aware that it is useless to make application for loans when there is scarcely a shadow of a chance of their obtaining it. They are simply withholding their offerings until a more propitious season. The outside market is active and unemployed balances are readily invested in good securities at heavy rates.

—Local stocks are held pretty firmly at old rates. There is occasionally a little concession when small lots of stocks change hands; but holders are very firm, and prices are well sustained.

—Gold has established another advance. About eighteen millions of coin interest on the public debt fall to due on the 1st of July is creating a "snort" interest in anticipation of a decline after the effect of the disbursement becomes felt; but owing to the forthcoming meeting of Congress operations for a fall are likely to be fully, if not more than neutralized by purchases for a rise.

—The advance in Government securities is well sustained in the New York market. The report to Messrs. McVay & Co. shows the following quotations:

U. S. 6s 1881	111¼
U. S. 5-20s, 1862	110½
U. S. 5-20s, 1864	107⅜
U. S. 5-20s, 1865, May and November	107⅝
U. S. 5-20s, 1865, January and July	110⅛
U. S. 10-40s	100⅝
December Compounds, 1864	117
August 7-30s	106⅞
June 7-30s	106⅞
July, 7-30s	106⅞
Gold	138⅛

—The quotations from New York, received by Messrs. J. T. Brady & Co. to-day, were as follows:

U. S. 6s 1881	111
5-20s, 1862	110¼
" 1864	107¼
" 1865	107¾
10-40s	100⅛
Consols	110¼
August 7-30s	106⅛
June 7-30s	106⅛
July 7-30s	106⅛
December Compounds, 1864	117
Gold	138⅛
Silver	132

—The advance in Railways was quite a surprise to most outside holders, who have rushed in their orders to sell in a hurry. The market is not strong enough to stand the pressure to sell upon it, and but few will be in time to get out.

—The following shows the totals of the average of the leading items of the Philadelphia Banks for the past and previous week:

	Last week.	This week.		
Capital	$16,017,150	$16,017,150		
Loans	53,192,019	52,968,441	Inc.	$223,578
Specie	368,281	373,328	Dec	5,047
Legal tenders	15,325,610	15,964,124	Dec	335,586
Due from banks	4,621,178	4,520,413	Dec	100,765
Due to Banks	6,278,711	6,046,684	Dec	232,027
Deposits	37,171,269	37,332,279	Inc	159,010
Circulation	10,046,208	10,642,224	Inc	596,016
Clearings	32,803,547	32,319,441	Dec	483,906
Balances	2,868,484	2,808,699	Dec	59,785

The above exhibit shows a decrease of $223,578 in loans, and $335,586 in legal-tenders, and an increase of $5,047 in specie, $159,010 in deposits, and $596,016 in circulation. The Clearings show a decrease of $483,906, and the Balances of $59,785. The New York bank statement for the past week decreased in all the leading items except legal-tenders, which increased about five millions of dollars. The deposits decreased about $800,000, the loans $2,500,000, and the specie about $3,000,000.

—A Philadelphia journal remarks: "We are sometimes asked to explain by what process the special reserve of the banks, not only of our own, but of other cities, is constantly fluctuating, being sometimes greater and at other times less. The solution of the matter is very simple, and is to be found in the fact that the national banks are all brokers, buying and selling specie as well as promissory notes. In the olden time it was beneath the dignity of an incorporated bank to act in the capacity of a broker, and if they needed paper to discount beyond that which was offered in the regular way by their customers, they sought the services of a note broker; but now the entire business of buying and selling coin and government bonds and the purchasing of commercial paper is done by bank officers. Legitimately there should be a steady increase in the specie reserve of the national banks to the extent of the sums derived from interest on their government bonds; but this is by most of them sold, and the premium upon it, of course, added to the profits of the institutions."

—S. S. Bryan, Broker in Government, Railway and other Bonds, and Bank and Railway Stocks, &c., Apollo Building, Fourth street. Orders for the purchase and sale of stocks executed at the New York, Philadelphia, and Boston Stock Boards at the regular rates of commission current in those cities.

PRODUCE AND GENERAL MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 26, 1867.

There was no improvement noticeable in our general market to-day. Trade is very dull and that is the only remark that can be made in regard to it.

The receipts of the leading articles of produce, per river and rail, since our last, were very light. Among those published this morning we notice the following: Flour, 63 bbls; cheese, 283 boxes; corn, 291 sacks; rye, 22 sacks, oats, 638 sacks; and butter, 21 packages.

We quote as follows, which are the wholesale store prices, unless otherwise noted:

APPLES—Old apples are nearly out of market, and a choice article readily commands $10 00@10 50 ₩ bbl.

DRIED APPLES—Dull at 6@8c ₩ lb for choice.

DRIED PEACHES—Market well supplied. We quote them very dull at 12@14c ₩ lb.

BUTTER—Not much coming in, and choice articles are in demand at 17@18c ₩ lb from store.

BACON—Trade fair. Sales from packers were made at 9½ to 9¾c for shoulders; 11 to 11½c for sides, and 16½ to 17c for sugar cured hams.

LARD—Packers prices are 12¼@13c ₩ lb.

MESS PORK—We quote at $22 50@22 75 ₩ bbl.

LARD OIL—Manufacturer's prices are $1 05 for No. 1 and 80c ₩ gal for No. 2.

CHEESE—We note sales of Western Reserve cheese at 13@14c ₩ lb and Hamburg at 14@15c ₩ lb.

EGGS—There is a fair trade doing at 20c ₩ doz.

FLOUR—Market continues active at last quotations, viz: $10 25@12 00 ₩ bbl for spring, according to quality, and $12 00@13 00 for winter.

GRAIN—No business doing in wheat, and none looked for until after the receipts of the new crop.

CORN—The corn market seems still unsettled and correct quotations are difficult to give. Our large holders are asking for the best yellow shelled 92@95c ₩ bush, in elevator. Sales are however reported, of shelled, at the depot, at 83@85c ₩ bush.

RYE—Prices are nominally $1 15 to $1 20 ₩ bush and dull.

OATS—Prices are tending upward. We note sales to-day, at the depot, at 65c ₩ bush.

HAY—Under large receipts per country wagons, prices have declined considerably. We note sales at the city scales at $13@18 ₩ ton.

POTATOES—Prices are advancing. We note a sale of 1 car Peachblows on the track at $1 20 ₩ bush. From store we continue to quote at $1 25 ₩ bush.

COOPERAGE—Rough river staves, with heading, $25@28; rough western staves, with heading, $27@30; dressed river and Pennsylvania staves, $32@34; dressed western, $35@38; dressed western, ended, $38@40; dressed western, ended and jointed, $40@42. City made barrels, $2 10@2 30; river, on wharf, $1 75@2 00.

Groceries.

Business in groceries continues brisk and prices are well maintained. Sugars have advanced, and in anticipation of a largely increased demand, occasioned by the large fruit crop coming on, and which will require more "sweets" than have been used in making up canned fruits for several years, a still further advance may be expected. Mackerel have still further declined, and the news from the fisheries indicate a large catch, and low prices for No. 3's. No. 1's and 2's will maintain their present position until the catching season for these grades commences. Carolina rice scarce.

COFFEE—Old Government Java, 38c; Laguayra, 27c; Rio, choice, 27c; prime, 26½c; good, 25c; roasting, 23c.

SUGARS—New Orleans, choice, 14½c; Porto Rico, 13@14c; Cuba, 11½@13½c; Sugar House, 11@11½c; Granulated, 17½c; Powdered, 17½c; Crushed, 17½c; A Coffee, 16½c; B do. 15½c; extra C, 15½c. Demerara sugar, choice, 14½c.

MOLASSES—New Orleans, 95c@$1; Porto Rico, 75@85c; Cuba, 65@75c.

SYRUP—Loverings, $1 10; other choice brands, $1 00; fair to good, 60@80c.

TEAS—Young Hyson, common to finest, 90c@$1 85; Imperial and Gunpowder, do, $1 25@2 25; Japan, 90c@$1 25; Oolong, 90c@$1 75.

RICE—Carolina, 14c; Rangoon, 10½@11½c.

VINEGAR—Pure white wine vinegar, 75c; common 25@50c.

FISH—No. 1 Shore Mackerel, $22; No. 1 Bay, do, $19; No. 2 Bay, do, $17; No. 3 large do, $12 50; Lake Herring, $4 50; White Fish, $7 50@8.

SODA—English Bicarb 9c.

SPICES—Pimento, 35c; Pepper, 35c; Cloves, 45c; Nutmegs, $1 60; Cassia, 75c.

SOAP—Proctor & Gamble's Olive, 11c; Babbett's, 12½c; Oakley's, 11½c.

LYE—Concentrated Lye, $6 50@8 50.

LARD OIL—Proctor & Gamble extra No. 1 Lard Oil $1 40.

CANDLES—Proctor & Gamble's star candles, 25c.

INDIGO—Madras 90c@$1 50; Manilla 45c@$1 45.

BAR LEAD—12c.

DROP SHOT—12½c.

Foreign Wines in Glass.

Moet & Chanden's green seal, ₩ case, $37 50; do Verzenay basket, $33; Heidsick & Co., do, $33; St. Julien Claret, do case, $5@12; St. Jacques Claret, do do, $11; Medoc Claret, do do, $9; Burgundy Chablis, do do, $25@33; Chambertin, $37 50.

Philadelphia Grocery Market.

In Sugar there is less doing, but prices are well maintained; 100 hhds of Porto Rico sold at 12½@13c, and 50 boxes of Cuba at 11½c ₩ lb, currency. Coffee continues very quiet, and we hear of no sales worthy of notice.

Pittsburgh Family Market.

There has been no essential change in the retail prices of the various articles entering into daily consumption. Since the products of the garden have become abundant there has been a less demand for fresh meats. The expose which we made, concerning the sale of diseased meats, and the action of the Grand Jury in having a number of dealers in that kind of meats indicted, has checked the sale of the unwholesome "stuff" to a considerable extent; but until there is a proper inspector appointed, not only to inspect the stock purchased and killed, but also to see that the meat has not become tainted, there is no security vouched safe to a consumer but a close inspection at the time of purchase. New potatoes are arriving quite freely. Strawberries are plenty and selling at from 10 to 25c ₩ box. They need rain at the present time very much. Cherries are plenty at 12½@20c ₩ quart as to quality. All kinds of vegetables are abundant at low prices. Butter is offered freely at 20@25c ₩ lb. Eggs are rather scarce and command 25c ₩ dozen. Groceries, salted meats, fish and flour continue unchanged from the quotations given one week ago.

PITTSBURGH OIL TRADE.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
THURSDAY, June 27, 1867.

Business since our last has undergone no particular change as regards prices or demand. The only operations reported were for speculation, there being no immediate demand for either raw or refined. Dispatches from Oil City report sales yesterday to a considerable extent at $2 ₩ barrel, being an advance. What effect that will produce here remains to be seen. Time only can determine. The supply on hand is not large. The refiners are not in want and of course are not in the market as purchasers. The asking rates were 6¾@6½c for bulk; although we did not learn of any "spot" transactions. Sales 6,500 barrels bulk, to be delivered on the first bulk rise on the Allegheny, at 6⅛c ₩ gallon; a sale of 5,000 barrels at Oil City was made to one of our operators at $2 ₩ barrel, this being an advance.

REFINED OIL—Was not much favored. The only sale that came under our notice was 3,000 barrels standard white, for Philadelphia delivery, as follows: 500 barrels July, 500 barrels August, 500 barrels September, 500 barrels October, 500 barrels November and 500 barrels December, all at 25½c ₩ gallon.

Oil Receipts per River and Rail.

J Speer......10 | Fisher Bro......900

Oil Shipped East by A. V. R. R.

H Koehler & Co, 301 bbls ref. to Waring, King & Co, Phila.
Pacific Oil Co, 250 bbls refined to C W Morse, Philadelphia.
Wightman & Anderson, 150 bbls ref to P Wright & Sons, Phila.
Aladdin Oil Co, 224 bbls ref to Tack Bros & Co., Philadelphia.
O B Jones, 50 bbls ref. to W P Logan & Bro, Phila.
Lucesco Oil Co, 56 bbls ref. to Brewer, Burke & Co, Phila.

Oil Shipped East from Duquesne Depot.

Union Ref. & St. Co, 110 bbls ref. to W P Logan & Bro, Philada.
J. Miller & Co, 138 bbls refined to Waring, King & Co, Philadelphia.
Waring & King, 72 bbls ref to Waring, King & Co, Philadelphia.
Duncan & Williams, 107 bbls refined, to W P Logan & Bros, Phila.

Oil City Oil Market.

Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.
OIL CITY, PA., June 26, 1867.

Petroleum $1 90 at Oil City; $1 60@1 70 at the wells. Prices are firmer, with a slight upward tendency and the demand more active. L.

WOOL MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH COMMERCIAL,
WEDNESDAY EVENING, June 26, 1867.

Our Wool market is quiet without any speculative spirit. Considerable Wool is selling at small lots to our city dealers within the range of our quotations, viz: 40 to 50c for the various grades of coarse to fine Wool. We do not look for any activity in the market until the general business of the country improves. We quote the coarse grades of fleece and tub washed at 40@45c. Medium Wool 45@45c and fine fleece at 48@50c, the latter price for choice lots. From different points in Ohio and in the West, we learn that purchases of Wool are being made at a range of 37@47c for coarse and fine Wool, and the market very dull.

The Beaver (Pa.) *Argus* says:—In Beaver but few of our merchants are paying cash for it, and those who are doing so are not prepared to offer more than from 40 to 50 cents per pound. In New Brighton from 38 to 50 cents appears to be the ruling rates; and at points in Ohio, where the local papers refer to prices, we notice that from 35 to 45 cents per pound is all that is offered. What turn prices will take, if any, soon, is more than we can see. The outlook, to say the least of it, things do not look flattering in this particular, compared with what they did but a few years past.

The York *Economist* says: The market still continues quiet, with but very little wool left; yet the stock is much larger than it was expected it would be at this time. With the present state of the trade in woolens, and its future prospects, there is no fear but there will be an abundance to carry manufacturers along till new wool comes in, should it not arrive East for a month to come. And with trade in its present state we are not sure that manufacturers could do much better by stopping their mills than by running them. One thing is very certain, manufacturers will be slow buyers in the market and will give few orders for the country. Some very small lots of new wool have found their way into the market. These, however, are very small, and nothing can be learned from them, either of the condition or quality of what the bulk of the wool may be. With a very poor trade for woolens, and values of everything unsettled and falling, wool must open very low in the country, or buyers will lose money. It is true that wool is now lower in proportion than any other article the farmer produces; and so low that manufacturers do not desire to see it lower; but so long as goods are cheaper in proportion than wool, they cannot be expected to pay the prices that would only yield them loss. Most of them, in addition to the stock which they are now producing, have heavy stocks of goods carried over from last year; upon these, whatever they carry must lose heavily. And there is a question here—Who can stand the loss? We quote as follows:

Pennsylvania, Ohio and Virginia, choice Saxony fleeces, 70@75c; Saxony fleeces, 65@70c; three-quarter and full blood Merino, 60@65c; ¾ blood, 57@60c; ½ blood, 50@55c; common, 45@50c; New York, Michigan and Indiana, full blood and ¾, 57@60c; ½ blood 55@57c; ¼ blood, 50@52½c; common, 45@47c; western fine, 50@55c; medium 47@50c; common 45@47c; country pulled extra, 50@55c; super, 45@50c; country, No. 1, 38@55c; New York, extra Pulled, super, 40@45c; No. 1 pulled, 35@40c; Lambs wool, 37@40c; Philadelphia merino, 45@50c; No. 1, 40@45c; tub washed choice, 52½@57½c; fair, 50@52c; inferior, 45@47c.

The *Ohio Farmer* thinks there will be no more, if as much wool clip this season as there was last year, and gives the following from a well informed person: I called into the office of the Portage county, Ohio, Auditor, and examined the return of sheep for the year 1866, and found the total number 137,633; then compared it with this year and found the total for 1867 to be 124,428, making a falling off of 13,427. Suppose the falling off in the same proportion extends to every county in the State, Ohio will have one million less sheep this year than last. I think sheep will clear one pound less wool this year than last, judging from the shearing done this spring. From the above as a basis, Ohio will have from five to six million pounds less wool this year than last, and I presume the same thing will be found true in all the western States. The following extract from a letter written to the Ohio State *Journal*, by John H. Klippart, Esq., Secretary of the Ohio State Agricultural Society, differs somewhat materially from the above. We quote:

It appears from the papers that there are a less number of sheep returned by the Assessors in several counties in 1867, than were returned in 1866, and in connection with this it is stated that the fleeces shorn this year do not weigh as much as they did last year. The falling off in weight can be attributed to two causes only: First, that Vermont grease is not hereditary to the original extent in Ohio; or, second, that the fleeces are washed cleaner.

Up to the present writing, (Saturday, June 15th,) I have received returns of the number of sheep in the following counties, from the respective County Auditors, being the returns from the Assessors for 1867. I have appended the returns for 1866, so that comparisons may be readily made:

	1867. No. Sheep.	1866. No. Sheep.
Coshocton	182,777	163,995
Crawford	106,831	104,893
Fayette	57,826	63,535
Greene	53,636	47,318
Guernsey	186,991	158,521
Hamilton	8,158	7,864
Henry	17,604	15,850
Knox	198,652	179,063
Logan	78,378	69,683
Madison	130,032	139,183
Mahoning	131,973	127,274
Marion	133,367	119,336
Miami	24,456	23,487
Morrow	160,319	142,339
Pike	24,217	21,050
Portage	125,545	137,633
Preble	20,186	19,565
Union	105,225	91,102
Total	1,746,562	1,631,923

The returns from these eighteen counties, comprising about one-fifth of the State, were not selected, but comprise all the returns which have as yet reached this office. The counties having suffered a diminution, as compared with 1866, are Fayette, Madison and Portage; in all the others there is an increase.

If these eighteen counties may be accepted as an average throughout the State, there will be 7,575,702 head of sheep in 1867, whereas there were 6,966,028 in 1866—showing an absolute increase of 609,674 head of sheep, or an increase of nearly nine per cent. In 1864 the assessors returned 6,221,353 head of sheep; the clip of these was reported in the spring of 1866 at 23,927,714 pounds. Preble county failed to report the clip, but estimating it at 73,000 pounds, giving a total clip shorn in 1865 (but reported in 1866) of 24,000,000 pounds, 3 85-100 pounds of wool (and dirt) per sheep. The clip of 1866 is now in course of being reported to this office. If the assumed number of sheep for 1867 (7,575,702) is correct, and the fleece has the same average weight it had in 1865 (3 85-100) then the clip for 1867 will amount to 29,166,452 pounds. When the returns are all in for 1866, I think it will be seen that last year's clip was about 27,000,000 pounds.

The Detroit, Michigan, *Press* says: The market is unchanged, and very quiet, the sales being mostly small parcels, although in a few cases we hear of lots of 500 and 1,000 lbs changing hands. In many towns in the interior there is literally no market, the wool being brought in and stored in the absence of buyers. There are orders in our market at 40c. We omit our usual summary from the interior, the advices being all precisely of the same tenor as to prices, 35@40c being the range. The figures are generally below the views of farmers, and they no doubt will, as a general rule, hold off, except so far as they are obliged to sell.

MONROE, 20th.—A few small clips have been offered in this market, and taken at 35@40c for three-quarters to full blood. These seem to be about the prices that will govern buyers, or say 30c for coarse, 35c for medium, and 40c for fine wools.

The Boston *Bulletin* says: The wool market is more quiet, and transactions lighter, than for many years past towards the close of the season. There is very little actual demand in view of the dulness of products; and the still more important fact that the new wool clip promises to come upon the market at low prices. Manufacturers buy only what material they are compelled to use, and their wants just now, with a large part of our woolen machinery lying idle, are very limited.

Sales of domestic for the week have been light, and foot up some 450,000 lbs, at a range of 35@70c for fleece, and 38@60c for the various grades of pulled. Included are 33,000 lbs Ohio fleece, medium to fine, at 58@62c; 6,000 lbs medium Michigan, 55c; 2,000 lbs medium Ohio, unwashed, 35c; 3,000 lbs low Pennsylvania, 46c; 2,000 lbs extra Ohio, 62c; 7,000 lbs medium Michigan, 57½c; 20,000 lbs good Illinois, 52½c; 1,500 lbs coarse delaine do, 55c; 5,000 lbs selected Michigan delaine, 56c; 5,000 lbs fine Michigan, 57½c; 2,000 lbs fine Vermont, 52½c; 3,000 lbs extra do, 55c; 5,000 lbs medium Michigan, 55c; 4,500 lbs low and burry Ohio, 45c; 3,000 lbs good Minnesota, 50c; 1,000 lbs unwashed Iowa, 35c; 4,000 lbs light Maine, 58c; 2,500 lbs choice do; 62½c; 2,000 lbs low do, 37½c; 6,000 lbs medium Ohio, 57½c; 18,000 lbs medium New York, 54c; 4,000 lbs do do, 55c, and small lots of double extra Pennsylvania at 68@70c.

In pulled wools there have been considerable sales, though at relatively low rates. Included are 4,000 lbs Western extra, at 51c; 1,000 lbs do do, 52½c; 1,500 lbs Eastern do, 58c; 1,200 lbs Eastern super, 56c; 2,000 lbs Western do, 42½c; 4,000 lbs Philadelphia merino, 46c; 4,000 lbs black do, 40c; 4,000 lbs do do, 38½c; 4,000 lbs Eastern super, 51c; 5,000 lbs Philadelphia merino, 46c; 10,000 lbs New York super, 47½c; and 15,000 lbs Western do, 40c. In combing wools, sales 11,000 lbs unwashed Kentucky, 45c; 5,000 lbs burry do do, 40c; 3,000 lbs washed do, 60c; 1,000 lbs low Western, 58c. 5,000 lbs Maine, 65c; 3,000 lbs good native, 63c, and 5,000 lbs Canada, 70c.

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New York Finance and Trade

Gold Closed at 138.

NEW YORK, June 26—P. M.

MONEY MARKET.

Money rather more active at 5@6 ₩ cent. on call.

STERLING

Dull at 10⅝@110½, gold, for first class bills.

GOLD.

A shade lower, opening at 138¾ and closing at 138. The Persia took $152,000.

GOVERNMENT STOCKS

A shade better, with more doing. Closing prices: Registered '81, 108⅞@109; coupons, 113@113¼; 5-20s '62, registered, 107⅞@107⅜; do. coupon, 110⅜@110⅜; do. '65, 110⅛@110⅛; 10-40s registered, 100⅛@100⅛; do. coupon, 100⅛@100⅛; 7-30s, 106⅛@106⅜.

STOCKS

Have been intensely excited throughout the day, and transactions were heavy and prices higher. The outside orders are increasing. Erie was the great feature, and fluctuated between 63 and 65. The transactions in the stock were enormous during the day, and exceeded 30,000 shares at the early session of the open board alone. At this session a prominent operator sold 18,500 shares at 63⅝, which caused considerable excitement. Among miscellaneous shares Western Union Telegraph is being steadily absorbed at 43@43½, and Pacific Mail rose to 139 on shorts covering. At the last open board the general market was lower, but closed steady.

CLOSING PRICES.

5:30 P. M. prices.—Ohio Certificates, 25½@25¾; Canton, 45½@46; Boston Water Power, 24@24½; Cumberland Coal, 30¾@31½; Quicksilver, 29½@30; Mariposa, 7¾@8; do preferred, 20@20½; Western Union Telegraph, 43⅜@43½; Pacific Mail, 139@139½; Atlantic Mail, 107½@108; New York Central, 107½@107⅝; Erie, 63⅝@63⅞; Hudson, 109@109½; Reading, 108⅛@108⅛; Michigan Southern, 74½@74⅝; Illinois Central, 121½@122; Pittsburgh, 80@80⅛; Toledo, 120@120¼; Rock Island, 92⅝@92¾; Northwestern, 37⅞@38; do. preferred, 61⅛@61¼; Ft Wayne, 101⅛@101¼.

BORDER STATE BONDS

quiet; Tennessee, new, 67½; Missouri, 98⅝; New Virginia's, 81½.

MINING SHARES.

The market was more active, with wide fluctuations: Corydon sold largely from $2 down to $1 75; Quartz Hill $1 00@1 75; Consolidated Gregory declined from $6 10 to $5 90; La Cross firm and rose to $1; Wallkill firm at 50@55c; American flag 55@60c; Davidson Copper $1 25.

Receipts at the sub-Treasury $4,150,025; including for Customs $313,000 and gold notes $412,000. Payments $2,236,102; balances $132,039,133.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

CHICAGO MARKET.

CHICAGO, June 26, 1867.

FLOUR—Less active and firm.

WHEAT—Firmer and 6@6½c higher than yesterday; sales of No. 1 at $2 20@2 22; No. 2 $1 85@1 91.

CORN—1½c lower. Sales No. 1 at 83½@84½c, closing quiet at 83½c.

OATS—Active and 2c lower; sales of No. 2 at 56½@58c, closing dull at the inside.

RYE—Steady at $1 05 for No. 1.

PROVISIONS—Dull and nominal.

BEEF CATTLE—50@75c lower, at $8 00@8 50 for good to extra choice.

HOGS—Active at $5 75@6 00 for common to good smooth.

SHEEP—Dull at $4 12½@5 75.

New York Market.

NEW YORK, June 26.—Cotton heavy and unchanged; sales 1,200 bales uplands at 26@26½c. Flour 15@25c better; receipts 4,587 bbls; sales 17,000 bbls super State and western at $7 50@8 50; extra western, $9 35@10 30; choice, $10 20@12 20; shipping Ohio, $10 55@11 25; spring St. Louis, $10@13; Ohio, 50c; extra, closing firm: also 2,000 bbls extra State for July, sellers' option at $9. California active and firmer; sales 4,500 bbls at $11 50@14 00. Rye flour firmer at $6 50@7 50. Whisky tends upwards; sales 400 bbls western bonded at 30@40c, the latter an extreme. Wheat—the market on spring, and 10@15c on California; sales 41,000 bush white California at $2 40@3 00; also, 2,000 do white Canada at $2 85, and 200 do old winter red winter at $2 50. Rye firmer; $1 27@1 30. Barley dull. Malt quiet. Corn less active, with no decided change; receipts 8,120 bush; sales 42,000 bush new mixed Western at $1 09@1 11; small lots, $1 11½@1 12; soft do, $1 00@1 08; damaged, 80c. Oats dull, receipts 5,454 bush; sales 26,000 bush at 82c for Western. Ohio, 88c. Wool dull, heavy and drooping; sales 195,000 lbs; domestic fleece, 35@62c; California, 25@35c. Rice quiet. Coffee steady, with a slight decline. Sugar firm; sales 700 hhds Cuba at 11¼@12c. Molasses dull. Petroleum dull; crude, 9½@14c; refined, in bond, 18@22c. Hops quiet. Pork opened dull, but closed firm; sales 2,500 bbls new mess at $21 12@21 25—closing at the latter, cash; old do, $20 12; prime mess, $21 25; prime $18 25. Beef firmer; sales 240 bbls new plain mess at $17 00@24 00, and new extra mess, $24 00@28 50. Beef hams quiet at $28 00@40 00. Bacon firmer; sales 760 boxes at 10½@10⅝c for Cumberland cut; 11½c for long ribbed; 11½c for short ribbed; 12⅛c for short clear. Cut meats steady; sales 370 pkgs shoulders at 8½@9⅞c, hams 12@14c. Lard quiet and steady; sales 525 bbls at 11½@11⅞c. Butter unchanged. Cheese heavy at 7@15½c. Freights to Liverpool quiet and drooping. Coal heavy; sales at auction of 60,000 tons Scranton lump at $4 85@4 85; steamboat $4 85@4 92½; broken $4 85@4 85; Erie $4 85@4 92½.

LATEST—5 P. M.—Flour closed fairly active and 15@25c better on common and medium grades. Wheat 2@3c better and tending upward for sound spring; No. 1 spring, $2 40@2 45. Rye $1 30@1 35 for Western. Oats dull at 78@79c for Western, 82@84c for State. Corn dull at $1 00@1 05 for good to prime new mixed Western. Pork irregular; sales 2,500 bbls at $21 30, cash, for mess; $21 37½ regular, closing dull with a downward tendency. Beef scarce and firm. Cut meats quiet and steady. Bacon fairly active, but quiet and firm at 10⅝@10⅞c for Cumberland cut; 11½@11⅝c for short ribs, and 12⅛c for short clear. Lard quiet at 12⅛@12⅝c for fair to prime steam, and 13⅛c for kettle rendered.

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, June 26.—Flour firm but not quotably higher, except for family, which sold at $12 50@13 50. Wheat steady at $2 75 for No. 1 red. Corn irregular: 75c offered, 76@78c asked; there is a demand for No. 2 at 80c. Oats dull at the close 63c was the best offer. Rye unchanged at $1 18@1 20 on arrival, and $1 25 from store. Cotton dull and prices nominal at 25c for middling. Whisky steady at 30c in bond. Mess pork steady at $21 00@21 25. There is a good demand for bulk meat from city dealers; sales of 240,000 lbs at 7¾c for shoulders and 9½@10c for sides. Bacon in good demand; sales 200 hhds at 8c for shoulders, 11c for sides and 11¼@12c for clear rib and clear sides; hams in good demand and prices 3c higher; sugar cured 18@19c; canvased 19@20c. Lard dull, closing with no buyers at over 11½c. Butter dull at 14@17c. Cheese 13½@14c. Eggs 16c. Coffee steady at 22@26c. Sugar firm at 12@13c for raw, and 17@17½c for refined. Gold firm at 137½ buying.

New York Dry Goods Market.

NEW YORK, June 26.—Dry goods market dull for domestic cotton goods. Prices are well sustained except on some light styles. Prints closed at York shilling for Arlington, Middlesex and light colored Amoskeag; new styles of medium dark are in market, but not yet offered for sale. Sheeting and muslins unchanged. Light spring styles of woolen 70@75c for neat 6@4s-ounce goods. Black gros grain silks are active and advanced about 5 per cent.

Baltimore Market.

BALTIMORE, June 26.—Coffee quiet; Rio 19¾@19⅞c, gold, in bond. Sugar firm and unchanged. Flour firm; choice Howard street extra $12 75@13. Wheat—Pennsylvania red $2 40@2 50; choice Maryland would bring $2 60@2 75. Corn firmer; fair white $1 13@1 14; yellow $1 12@1 15; mixed $1 06@1 10. Oats 82@85c. Provisions steady and unchanged. Whisky nominal.

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, June 26.—Tobacco—Prices maintained. Cotton nominal at 25c. Hemp better, at $1 55@1 65 for undressed. Flour unchanged; fall extra $8 75@9 50; double extra $10 00@11 50; choice and fancy $12 00@15 50. Wheat heavy and lower; No. 2 spring $1 55@1 60; No. 1 $1 70; prime fall $2 55@2 65; choice $2 75@2 90. Corn firmer at 82@90c. Oats higher at 73@75c. Rye $1 55. Provisions dull with only retail trade doing, and prices unchanged. Lard 12c for choice kettle.

Louisville Market.

LOUISVILLE, June 26.—Sales 332 hhds tobacco at $2 90@22 50 for lugs to selections; $13 00 for Hart county manufacturing. Superfine flour $8 00@9 00. Corn in bulk 70@78c. Oats 75c. Wheat $2 00. Mess pork $21 00@21 25. Bacon shoulders 9@9½c packed; clear sides 12½c. Lard 11½@12c in tierces. Raw whisky, free, $2 18; in bond 30c. Cotton 22½c.

Buffalo Market.

BUFFALO, June 26.—Flour in fair demand; sales at $10@1075 for State and Western. Wheat in fair milling request; sales 10,000 bushels Canada at $2 25 for spring and $2 50@2 80 for white. Corn—There is no disposition to purchase; held at 90@93c; buyers would give probably 87@90c. Oats nominal. Barley—Canada, $1 18 delivered. Rye neglected. Mess pork $21 50 for heavy and $20 50 for light. Lard 13c. Highwines $2 35 for small lots.

Oswego Market

OSWEGO, June 26.—Flour active and 50c higher; sales 2,700 bbls at $13 00 for No. 1 spring; $13 00 for red winter; $14 for white, and $15 00 for double extra. Rye flour steady at $7 50. Wheat firmer; sales 7,000 bushels Iowa club at $2 45; 300 bush No. 2 Milwaukee club at $2 50; 3,000 fair white Canada at $2 85. Corn quiet; sales of car lots at 95@97c for No. 1. Oats in demand; sales 700 bush western on private terms. Rye held at $1 25 for Canadian. Barley and Peas quiet.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, June 26.—Samples of new Wheat from South Carolina and Georgia were exhibited on 'Change to-day; no sales. Flour firmer; superfine, $9 50; extra family, $9 75@11; Pennsylvania, $11@12; fancy, $14@16. Wheat steady at $2@2 60. Rye $1 40. Yellow Corn $1 12. Oats advanced 2c; sales at 82c. Whisky in bond 26c.

New York Cattle Market.

NEW YORK, June 26.—Beef cattle were selling today at 14@18c. Receipts 2,822 since Monday. Sheep—Receipts 4,000; all sold at 4@7c.

Toledo Market.

TOLEDO, June 26.—Flour quiet. Wheat unchanged. Corn 1c better; sales at 85c for No. 1. Oats steady at 67c. Rye dull and declining. Lake freights dull and nominal.

Milwaukee Market.

MILWAUKEE, June 26.—Flour active and higher; city XX, $11 00@11 75; country do., $10 00@10 50; XX $9 50@10 00. Wheat firm at $2 25 for No. 1, $2 07 for No. 2 $1 83 for No. 3, and $1 30 for rejected. Oats quiet at 59@60c for No. 2. Corn steady at 80@82c for No. 1.

Memphis Market.

MEMPHIS, June 26.—Cotton dull and nominal at 22@23½c. Receipts, 52 bales; exports, 330 bales. Corn quiet at 92@95c. Oats 73@75c. Hay $23 50@24 00. Flour dull; superfine $9 75@10 00. Pork $23 50@23 75. Bacon dull; clear sides 13½@14c. Lard 14½@14c.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CINCINNATI.

At the Brighton Pens the receipts of beef cattle was good, with a fair demand, and prices were sustained up to Thursday last; but since then the market has been dull and heavy, closing at a decline of 50c ₩ 100 lbs on all grades. Cattle are sold as they come in, there being little more activity on the regular market days than at any other time. A few were left over at the close. We quote common at $4 00@5 00, medium at $5 00@6 25, and prime at $6 50@7 25 ₩ 100 lbs, live weight. Shipping cattle sold at $8 to the first of the week. On Monday last there were none in the market. For sheep and lambs there was a little better demand, and prices are firm at $2 50@4 50 ₩ 100 lbs, gross, for common to prime sheep, and $2 00@3 50 ₩ head for lambs. Under large receipts, hogs have declined 25@50c ₩ 100 lbs, closing firm at $5 25@6 05 gross, for light to heavy averages.

COVINGTON, KY.

Cattle—Market is brisk, with sales of 508 head at the following prices, viz: First quality, $7 25@7 50 ₩ 100 lbs; 2d quality, $6 25@6 50; 3d quality, $4 50@5 50; good shipping cattle, $8 00@8 25. The shipments from this point to New York and other Eastern markets, since our last report, have amounted to 1,110 head.

Sheep and Lambs—There are a number of Eastern men here buying sheep and lambs, which gives considerable life to the trade. The receipts during the past week amounted to 1,549 head, 315 of which were for shipment, and the remainder sold here at $3 50@5 25 ₩ 100 lbs, according to quality. About 500 head of lambs sold at $2 50@3 50 ₩ head.

Hogs—The market has ruled dull throughout the past week. The receipts reached only 290 head, a portion of which were left over in the pens to-day unsold. Prices have ranged from $5 25 to $6 00 ₩ 100 lbs gross.

RIVER TELECRAMS.

Oil City.

[By Pacific and Atlantic Telegraph Company.]
Special Dispatch to Pittsburgh Commercial.

OIL CITY, June 26, 1867.

River ten inches and rising very slowly. Weather cloudy, with a prospect of rain.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, June 26.—The river is falling slowly, with five feet water in the canal by the mark.

RIVER NEWS.

STEAMERS ARRIVED AND DEPARTED.

Arrived.

Chieftain	Hendrickson	Greensboro.
Gallatin	Carlisle	Greensboro.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.

Departed.

Elector	Phillips	Greensboro.
Gallatin	Carlisle	Greensboro.
Elizabeth	Houghton	Elizabeth.

THE RIVER AND MATTERS ALONG THE WHARF.—Business came to a standstill on the landing with the exception of a small trade on the slackwater navigation. There was nothing done worthy of note. The packets have laid up after a long season, whether a profitable one or not is best known to the parties interested. The competition between the river and railroads has been long and bitter. A few boats have made money while others will barely make both ends meet. The rates of freight have been very low, while the reduction in the running expenses has been small. The crops will be abundant, and after harvest we expect to see lively times. So mote it be. We have no boats to announce for any of the lower ports.

THE steamer Westmoreland passed Memphis on Friday, on her way to New Orleans.

CAPT. H. H. DEVENNY goes out as clerk of the steamer Wauanita from Cincinnati.

THE steamer Silver Cloud No. 2 arrived at St. Louis on Monday from this city.

THE Importer and barges left Cincinnati for this port on Monday. She will not be able to reach port until we have more water.

THE steamers Kate Putnam and Belle Vernon were announced to leave St. Louis for this port on Friday.

ROBBED.—The steamboat W. Brooks, lying at the wharf, was robbed of $8,000, a gold watch and other valuables.

BUSINESS on the landing was very dull. Trade on the river is about over until we have more water. The boats will have plenty of time to fit up before that event takes place.

SOMETHING NEW.—A bar-keeper on a Southern boat, with an eye to business, announces: "Insurance against thirst at fixed premiums, payable in cash."

THE steamer Carrie, which left this port the last of March for Fort Benton, was due at St. Louis, on her return trip, Tuesday. She left Fort Buford on the 14th of June. The clerk, W. H. Hampton, and several other Pittsburghers, are on board.

THE steamer Ruth's time from New Orleans to St. Louis was four days nine hours and fifty-four minutes. The second quickest time on record. The J. M. White's time, in June, 1844, was three days, twenty-three hour and nine minutes.

THE river, says Thursday's St. Paul *Press*, slowly hastens to its summer level. It has now fallen almost two feet from its highest point on Friday, the 14th of June, but the weather indications last night were unfavorable to any further rapid decline at present.

QUICK TRIP.—The steamer Cora, Captain Townsend, left Fort Benton June 6th, at 1:40 P. M.; landed at Sioux City June 13th, at 2:42 P. M.; making the trip—2,165 miles—in seven days and thirty-two minutes. This is the quickest time on record.

HARD TO BEAT.—They have an ordinance in Cairo prohibiting the blowing of whistles by steamboats to indicate the time of their departure. The Great Republic sedulously observes its provisions, but on her last visit to that place employed, instead of a whistle a loud-mouth, booming cannon to announce her departure.

TUESDAY'S Cincinnati *Gazette* on the situation: Business continues dull and unattractive. There are three boats outside the regular packets now at the wharf receiving, two of which are for New Orleans and one for St. Louis. Grain crops throughout the South, West, and North are splendid, and when the fall trade sets in it will prove a feast.

COALBOATS SUNK.—The steamer Cottage No. 2 arrived at Cincinnati on Monday and reports two coal barges, belonging to the Kanawha and Ohio Coal Company, sunk last Thursday afternoon, on Catfish Shoals. The coal was destined for Cincinnati. The Kanawha was falling when the Cottage came out, with four and a half feet from Charleston to the mouth.

GLAD TO HEAR IT.—The numerous friends of Capt. John Sebastian will be gratified to learn that he is recovering slowly from his recent dangerous illness. He is at present rusticating in Delhi township, and although very weak is mending slowly. We hope soon to find the Captain around among his many friends.

JEFFERSONVILLE, IND., June 24—7 P. M.—EDS. COM.—The river is falling slowly, with thirty-eight inches on the pass over the falls. The weather is clear and hot, indicating rain. The steamers Anna White and Anna passed up. The towboat Boaz passed up for Madison, for repairs. The propeller Pratt, with a new hull, passed over the falls to-day, all safe. The Nightingale was at the foot of the canal. D. M. DRYDEN, Falls Pilot.

CAIRO, June 24.—EDS. COM.—The Ruth and Richmond came up yesterday, the Richmond thirty minutes behind. The Ruth claims to have passed the Richmond twice under way, and beat her time three hours. The Richmond reports that she had a large way business and discharged a large quantity of freight, and was delayed by a defective supply pipe, which at length gave way entirely above Memphis, compelling the use of the donkey engine and running slow. The Ruth's time to Cairo was three days, fourteen hours and fifty minutes.

A SPECIAL dispatch from Louisville to the Cincinnati *Gazette* has the following:

A disastrous freshet occurred in Mill Creek, Carroll county, Sunday. Immense amounts of fencing and many cattle were swept away by the flood. No lives were lost though several narrow escapes were reported. According to the oldest inhabitants the water was fifteen feet higher than ever known before.

The Nightingale sunk one of her barges, loaded with nails and barrel fish, in the canal this morning. The loss will not be great.

THE Cincinnati *Commercial* on the situation: The low water season is at hand, and boats have commenced rubbing and sticking on the bars. There is not over three and a half feet at Blannerhasset, seven and a half on Rising Sun, and eight feet at Flint Island. Freights are offering in only moderate quantities for all points, while the rates are nearly ruinously low. The larger class of steamers will go to the bank, while the smaller class will be compelled to put up their rates in order to make it pay. Our boatmen are only running their boats for the benefit and to keep their crews together. If they manage to make all ends meet and keep out of debt, the stockholders are satisfied. We write authoritatively when we say that a large majority of regular packets leaving Cincinnati have lost money during the past two years. We live in hopes of a favorable change after harvest, or with the opening of the fall trade, owing to the prospect for good crops.

WHAT NEXT.—The Richmond has been running all season with defective machinery. We find the following confession in the Louisville *Courier*, the paper that for months has pronounced the Richmond the "safest boat afloat." The machinery let down the first trip, yet the officers of that boat, backed by the *Courier*, has dared to run that boat on with the lives of thousands of passengers, all for a little money. The low pressure humbug is about played out, and we think the *Courier* reporter is in a similar situation. A man that would deceive the public knowingly, is not fit to hold a situation of responsibility:

"The low pressure is triumphant, and the fact can now be stated, that the Richmond has been running the entire season through with a partially disabled larboard engine. During the late hard winter the immense cylinder heads were cast, and as soon as steam was raised the sudden and unequal expansion of heat caused the cylinder head to crack. This occurred on her first trip. A new head was made, but on ascertaining that, owing to the immense size of the machinery, ten days would be required to adjust the new one, Capt. Neal determined to run the boat with one engine, using the other as much as he could safely, without breaking."

THE STEAMERS RUTH AND RICHMOND.—In referring to the Ruth passing the Richmond under way, Sunday's St. Louis *Republican* says:

It will be seen the steamer Ruth, a St. Louis "institution," has most effectually warmed the much talked of Louisville "institution." The Ruth is on an ordinary business trip, and is making the best time ever made, under the same circumstances, on the Western waters. The Ruth left this port at 3 A. M., Thursday, June 13; left Cairo at noon of the following day, loaded to the guards; reached New Orleans and she handled nearly one thousand tons of freight; arrived at New Orleans, put out the remainder of her cargo and left for this port at 5 P. M., June 19, two and one-half hours after the much vaunted boat, the "superior" Richmond; made the run to Vicksburg in thirty-two hours, to Cat Fish tow head in forty-eight hours, to Napoleon in forty-nine hours, and passed the Richmond, "under way," at the foot of Island No. 66. This will be taken as very good evidence of what the Ruth has done, and not of what she can do. St. Louis men, when they run a steamboat, "brag" of what she has done, and don't come up twenty-five years later and say their boats could have done thus and so. For fifteen months we have heard nothing else than that the Richmond was the finest, largest and fastest steamer that was floated; and now comes a regular floating warehouse on a regular business trip, that passes her under way. We think the Louisville *Courier* will now cease blowing, and wait until the Richmond does something worthy of record.

San Francisco Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 26.—Flour in demand; extra $8 50; superfine $5 50; Oregon extra $8 25; superfine $6 50. Wheat $1 50@1 75. Legal tenders 73¼. The better grades of wool for export 18@20½c, clean.

New Orleans Market.

NEW ORLEANS, June 26.—Cotton dull; sales 1,250 bales; exports, 364 bales. Louisiana sugar and molasses—Stock very small; only a retail trade. Flour quiet and firm; superfine, $10 25@10 50; double extra, $11 50. Corn in good demand, and advanced 10@15c; yellow mixed, 95c@$1 00; white, $1 10@1 15. Oats advanced 7@8c; stock light; sales at 74@75c. Pork dull at $23 25. Gold 138¼. Sterling exchange 149@152; New York sight exchange ⅛@¼ premium.

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

Pitts. Ft. Wayne and Chicago Railroad.

T C Jenkins, 500 bbls flour; J Gardiner & Co, 220 do do; J Grier & Co, 100 do do; S Lindsey, Jr & Co, 100 do do; D Wallace, 200 do do; Knox & McKee, 200 do do; Kirkpatrick, Herron & Co, 100 do do; Bricker & Co, 1 car middlings; Eli Cope, 9 bales dry hides, 132 green do; Keystone Bridge Co, 47 pcs castings; Campbell, Pears & Co, 3 bxs cullett; W H Lippincott, 4 cases pearlash; Lippincott & Bakewell, 1 circular saw; D Haworth, 4 bbls spirits; Beck, Phillips & Co, 1 cask cullett; McAboy, Spang & Co, 2 boxes hardware; Atwell, Lee & Co, 6 cases tobacco; Arbuckle & Co, 4 cases, 2 kegs do; Schmelback & Schott, 1 car hay; P M Westervelt, 2 bxs wool; Van Gorder & Shepard, 29 bxs cheese; L H Voigt & Co, 12 doz brooms; Fenneghan & Son, 3 bbls covers, 10 bxs cheese; Adair, Miller & Frazey, 6 doz pails; Gay & Welsh, 10 bxs cheese; Jas Connor, 8 do do; S Ewart & Co, 12 do do; W Cooper & Co, 20 do do; M Stafafer, 1 car lumber; W Mullins, 2 cars wrought iron scrap; Anderson, Cook & Co, 5 setts seat springs; L Hobbs & Bro, 11 bbls pearlash; John Moorhead, 1 car pig iron.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—Benitie & Co; 1 car stone; J A Scott, 5 boxes cheese; Phelps, Parke & Co, 3 cars lumber.

Per Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad.

Nimick & Co, 2 cars pig iron; J Moorhead, 1,328 blooms; Hussey, Wells & Co, 60 do, 11 barrels scrap iron; Watt & Wilson, 100 bbls flour; John Heath, 1 car lumber; McKnight, Porter & Co, 12 cars Lake Superior iron ore; J J Bender, 1 car kegs; Sturgeon & Bro, 8 bbls eggs; J W Simpson, 296 sacks oats; G Elvin, 30 bbls vinegar; Pettit & Newlin, 20 boxes cheese; Arbuckles & Co, 15 do do, 9 bbls sugar; Schmaker & Lang, 25 bxs cheese; J Cochran & Co, 1 bx mdse; Haworth, McDonald & Co, 1 bx bacon; Hahn & Hadley, 1 box cheese; L H Voigt & Co, 2 barrels eggs, 1 do bacon; Blakey & Co, 21 bundles willows; Spencer & Co, 16 bbls sugar, 3 kegs apple butter; Fetzer & Armstrong, 2 bbls eggs; Newcomer, Goe & Co, 10 hf bbls and 7 caddies tobacco; Schultz & Son, 1 bbl eggs; S Huber, 20 crocks apple butter, 1 bbl eggs; Bedford Chair Manufacturing Company, 111 bdls chairs, 6 do rockers; Hammer & Daniel, 3 do do.

ALLEGHENY STATION.—A H Childs & Co, 26 bales cotton; Spang, Chalfant & Co, 1 car ore; Stewart & Langhlin, 1 car oats.

Pitts. Columbus and Cincinnati Railroad.

Jas Glenn, 1 car oats; Fred Schilds, 30 sacks oats; McElwain, 1 box butter; Pettit & Newlin, 1 bbl dried apples; Graff & Roberts, 3 bbls flaxseed; J Russell & Son, 1 bbl eggs; M W Rankin, 2 do do; McHenry & Hood, 1 do do; D Kyle, 3 bbls apples; E Davis & Co, 2 dog powers; Meanor & Harper, 50 sks oats, 1 barrel eggs, 2 pkgs bacon; J A Buffum, 1 box glassware; S Martin, 3 bbls cider; B L Fahnestock & Co, 2 crates eggs; J Lippincott, 45 tcs hams; W L Jones, 30 cases tobacco; Knox & Orr, 6 do do; M Delange, 379 green hides; E Edmondson & Co, 3 sacks feathers; H Dalmyer, 1 hhd tobacco; E Wormser, 1 do do.

Per Allegheny Valley Railroad.

P Warren, 1 car wagon hubs; A Laughlin, 2 crs pig iron; Z Manning, 1 car household goods; J Miller, 2 cars stone; M Silvis, 1 car tan bark; Rees, Graff & Dull, 1 car pig iron; Thomas Mitchell, 1 car salt; Markle, Dickson & Co, 5 sks rags; McCullough, Smith & Co, 21 do do, 3 bbls flaxseed, 1 crate rags; J Hoffman, 3 calves; J H Graham, 7 sks wool, 6 lambs, 2 calves, 1 coon, 3 bbls eggs, 1 coop chickens, 2 boxes butter; Fetzer & Armstrong, 3 pkgs eggs, 1 box cheese; S Cooper, 2 bbls eggs; Monongahela House, 7 pkgs marketing; various owners, 2 cars do.

Pittsburgh and Connellsville Railroad.

Singer, Nimick & Co, 2 cars charcoal; John Dunlap, 51 bdls sheet iron; Fulton, Bollman & Co, 35 coils rope, 30 bdls oakum, 1 reel yarn; R Robinson & Co, 8 bxs; 2 bbls crackers; Lewis, Oliver & Phillips, 7 kgs nuts; Craig Bros, 1 box hardware, 3 pair tongs; Markle, Dickson & Co, 105 bdls printing paper; J S Dilworth & Co, 1 hf bbl fish; Fry & Scott, 53 bxs glass; M A Jones, 6 oil bbls; S W Pickersgill, 1 car bark; W W Huntsman, 125 bdls iron; A & D H Chambers, 112 feet freestone; S M Wickersham, 1 car pig iron, 1 do scrap do; W Flacus & Son, 1 car tan bark; Moorhead & Co, 4 cars charcoal; Loppy & Weise, 1 car tan bark.

IMPORTS BY RIVER.

Parkersburg.

PER STEAMER DELAWARE.—Caleb Lee, 2 coils rope; E M Jenkins, 1 bbl eggs; L H Voigt & Co, 4 bbls dried apples; Mrs Fanny Gordon, 1 horse; Head & Metzgar, 1 bbl eggs, 2 do dried apples; Thos Musgrave, 51 oil bbls; H Dane, 3 horses; South & Allen, 2 boxes bacon; Fetzer & Armstrong, 3 pkgs eggs, 9 do do butter; Wanderlich, 142 bdls staves; Thos Bakewell, 3 cane seat chairs; Leamon & Weise, 14 bedsteads, 6 wash stands, 2 doz cane seat chairs, A Milliken & Co, 2½ doz cane seat chairs, 1¾ doz rockers, 6 doz Winsor do; Meyers, Hopper & Co, 2 doz chairs, 17 rockers; Hitchcock, 1 horse, 1 bbl corn; Westley Wilson, 50 bbls oil; Clarke & Co, 45 bbls oil, 1 bbl eggs, 1 tub butter, 105 sks corn; J K Smith, 10 doz tubs, 15 do pails, 6 do washboards; Carter, McGrew & Co, 20 doz do.

Pitts. Brownsville and Geneva U. S. Mail Line.

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